WEATHER REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29—Weather conditions are favorable for fair and continued warm weather in California tonight and Sunday.

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STRIKE IS VIRTUALLY SETTLED.

Partial Recognition to Be Given the Union.

Advance in Wages Will Not Be Less Than Ten Per Cent.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Sept. 29—Anthracite coal was quoted $1 a ton cheaper today than it was two days ago. This was taken as an indication that the railroads and others with stocks of coal on hand regard an early settlement of the miners' strike as probable. The railroad officials, however, refused to say to what point the negotiations to this end had progressed, but it was learned that the operators have practically agreed not to entirely ignore the union in making a settlement. The present plan is believed to be to place concessions before the men at the different collieries and ask them to return to work pending the settlement of remaining differences by arbitration.

The extent to which the miners' organization is to be recognized is said to be that the men will have the operators' terms placed before them at meetings of the local unions. According to a Wall street news agency there will not be a uniform rate of increase proposed throughout the district, owing to varying conditions of mining at different places, but there will be no advance of less than 10 per cent on present wages.

Much interest was felt here in the conference to be held in Shenandoah this afternoon between General Gobin, Sheriff Toole and representatives of the operators and miners. It was believed here the conference would result in the immediate withdrawal of troops, whose presence is known to be very distasteful to the union miners. The railroad officials here expressed the belief that with the militia out of the way it would be easier to come to an agreement with the strikers.

One of the sales agents of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company said that a few men had charge of the plans for a settlement of the strike and until the result is accepted they will not discuss affairs.

The evening Post says today:

"While no final announcement of the coal strike settlement is yet forthcoming, there was today reliable authority for the statement that the matters still under discussion are of detail merely and that a satisfactory conclusion will be reached in a short time.

"It is conceded everywhere in the coal trade that the price of coal after the strike will never settle down to the same level as before. More than 10 per cent increase in wages is believed generally to be the concession the miners will demand, and this will mean, according to reliable estimates, an increase of fully 25 cents in the cost of every ton mined. This will make the cost at the collieries about $2.75 a ton. The consumer, of course, will pay the difference. Moreover, there will probably be a great demand for coal as soon as the strike is over and perhaps a week or ten days' delay in supplying it."

According to the Evening Post, a coal operator said today that the railroad presidents have submitted the terms of a settlement to the mine superintendents, to learn whether the mines could be operated profitably under them. The Post's informant thinks President Mitchell will get around the difficulty caused by the non-recognition of the union in this way: The proposition, the 10 per cent increase in wages or whatever it may be, may be submitted separately to each chapter of the Mine Workers' Union. When a chapter decides to accept it and notifies President Mitchell he will endorse it if the conditions warrant.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 29—The general superintendents of the Lehigh Valley, Lehigh and Wilkesbarre, Delaware and Hudson and Lackawanna coal companies, who had a long secret meeting here yesterday, were in communication again today at anthracite headquarters in New York. There were some minor details of the new wage scale arranged at yesterday's meeting in this city to be explained. It is said that the suggestions made at the meeting here will govern the presidents of the coal-carrying railroads to a great extent in formulating their plan of settling with the striking miners. The question of recognition of the union is regarded by many as the key to the situation.

Some of the smaller individual operators are much put out because they have not been called into the conferences recently held by the representatives of the big companies and their advice asked. They say they have relatively just as much at stake as the large companies and that it would be no more than right if they were consulted.

Ex-Congressman Williams, who owns and operates the Red Cross mines and is one of the largest individual operators in this section, said:

"So far as my company is concerned, I am prepared to follow any recommendation made by the coal-carrying roads. Of course, I expect they will do justice to the individual operators. If they do not then we may have something to say later on."

At strike headquarters one of the officers said: "We are waiting anxiously to see what the operators have to say."

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 29—At 1 o'clock this afternoon President Mitchell said he was awaiting developments and had nothing to say on the subject of the settlement.

It is apparent from his manner that he is expecting news of some sort.

A reporter of the Associated Press received information today that a number of the foreigners on strike are complaining that they are becoming destitute and that if the strike is not soon ended or they do not get help of some kind they will be forced to go back to work. None of the English-speaking mine strikers have yet publicly made any complaint.

Although President Mitchell is inactive, his lieutenants are holding meetings all over the coal region and urging the strikers to stand firm.

An attempt was made last night to blow up with dynamite the shanty occupied by a non-striker at Greenridge, near here. The house was but slightly damaged and no one was hurt.

All mines operated yesterday in the Lehigh Valley are working as usual today.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Sept. 29—There is much speculation here today as to the probable result of the conference to take place this afternoon between General Gobin, Sheriff Toole, strike leaders and the operators' representatives. General Gobin said today that as this district is completely tied up and as there is not the slightest indication of violence, he could not see why the troops should be retained here.

This is pay day at all of the Reading Company and Lehigh Company collieries. The men are receiving their wages and returning quietly to their homes.

Promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon the conference which was called by General Gobin began. There were present besides the General, the following: Sheriff Toole, Superintendents David Rice, Reese, Easker, Adam Boyd, W. J. Richard, John McDonald, and Girber, Philadelphia and Reading

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COSTLY FIRE IN CONTRA COSTA.

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Hay Destroyed By Fire at Danville.

WALNUT CREEK, Cal., Sept. 29.—Workmen employed at the Grangers' warehouse at Danville, while loading hay, discovered fire at the other end of the warehouse. It was soon consumed by flames. The railroad depot, which is situated close by, also caught fire, but was saved.

Twenty-seven hundred tons of hay, valued close to $20,000, were destroyed, and two cars on the track ready to ship were also burned.

An engine arrived from Port Costa too late to do much good.

The warehouse was owned by the Grangers' Bank and was built on the ground of the warehouse, which was destroyed by fire seven years ago. It was 300 feet long. The contents were partly insured. The Dutard estate had considerable hay stored in it.

DOWNFALL OF PRINCE TUAN.

Boxer Leaders Are Degraded by an Edict of the Dowager Empress.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29—The Department of State is informed by Consul-General Goodnow at Shanghai that Sheng, Chinese Director of Railways and Telegraphs, has handed him a decree of the Emperor and Empress, dated at Taignan, September 25th, blaming their Ministers for encouraging the Boxers.

The edict orders the degradation of four princes and deprives Prince Tuan of his salary and official servants. He is to be brought for trial before the Imperial Clan Court.

CONSERVATIVES HAVE BIG LEAD.

English Elections So Far in Favor of the Government.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Sept. 29—One hundred and sixty-seven constituencies, returning one-fourth of the membership of the House of Commons, made their nominations today. Up to 10 o'clock this afternoon fifty-eight members had been elected, unopposed, comprising forty-three Conservatives, eight Unionists, five Liberals and two Nationalists.

Among the interesting personages on the government side returned today without opposition were Joseph Chamberlain, George Wyndham, Charles T. Ritchey, Sir John R. Cromb, Jesse Collings, Joseph Powell Williams, Sir Charles Vincent, John Henniker Heaton, Charles H. Stuart-Wortley and Sir Edward Albert Sassoon.

The five Liberals returned unopposed include William Court Gully, Speaker of the House of Commons, and Sir Henry Bartley Fowler, formerly Secretary of State for the Home Department.

An interesting feature of the elections is the intervention in the colonies for the first time in the election of the motherland. A dispatch from Hobart, Tasmania, announces the adoption of a resolution by the Tasmanian Assembly proposing a joint Australian cablegram congratulating Mr. Chamberlain on the British successes in South Africa and hoping the electors of Great Britain will emphatically insist on the fruits of victory being effectually secured.

In all sixty-six candidates were rendered. The Ministerialists aggregate fifty-nine, Liberals five and Nationalists two. Viscount Cranborne, Conservative, a son of the Marquis of Salisbury, was reelected. Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, who has represented the Ealing division of Middlesex in the House of Commons and who is a brother of the Duke of Abercorn, had a very hostile reception at a Unionist meeting in London this afternoon. The Liberals had evidently packed the audience, and the disturbance was so great that his lordship was finally obliged to desist from addressing the meeting and communicated the balance of his remarks to the reporters who congregated on the platform.

BANK RUINED BY THE CASHIER.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 29.—A receiver has been appointed for the Montgomery Trust and Savings Bank of Montgomery, W. Va., on the application of President Champe and Vice-President Simrays, who alleged that Cashier McCormick had misappropriated funds, making the bank insolvent. Liabilities, $50,000; assets, $15,000, of which only $1,500 is cash. Missing notes and securities amount to $62,000.

GREAT LOSS BY TEXAS FLOODS

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 29—There is an unprecedented rise in the Trinity river, with no immediate prospects of receding. The waters have inundated the entire bottoms in the valley and many valuable farms are totally ruined. The Rock Island bridge over West Fork, near Newark, was washed away.

MORE DEATHS FROM PLAGUE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

GLASGOW, Sept. 29.—Two more deaths from bubonic plague have been reported. One victim was a child born of a woman suffering from the disease.

Gas Works Explosion.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—At 1:40 a. m. today a large can of lubricating oil exploded in the Central Union Gas Works, foot of East Thirty-ninth street, setting fire to the engine room and causing a damage of $1,000. The fire was extinguished after half an hour's hard work. The damage was chiefly to the boiler, machinery and wood work in the engine room.

GERMANY'S ATTITUDE MEANS WAR

Her Proposal the Cause of Prince Tuan's Promotion.

England, Russia and France are With This Country.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PARIS, SEPT. 29—A DISPATCH RECEIVED HERE FROM TAKU SAYS A FRENCH BATTALION FROM PEKING HAS OCCUPIED LOU KOU CHIO AND CHAN TSIN TIEN, THUS OBTAINING COAL STORES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29—The alignment of the powers on the German proposition to make the punishment of the Chinese ringleaders a condition precedent to negotiations may now be stated as follows:

Great Britain, Russia and France stand with the United States in regarding this proposition as inexpedient.

Japan occupies a middle attitude; she is willing to follow the German lead if all the other powers are agreeable, but only for the sake of preserving harmony among the powers, and not from a belief in the wisdom of the German proposition.

Austria and Italy stand shoulder to shoulder with Germany, making the Dreibund a solid front. The two first-named powers do not attempt to argue the German proposition, and their answers make it apparent that they have accepted it without much discussion.

Nothing is known here of the counter proposition which is reported making in Europe. If it contains the same feature as to punishment as the German proposition it is not likely to receive approval here.

The fact that Secretary Hay is expected to return to Washington next week will not change in any way the policy of the State Department. The Secretary has been in closest sympathetic touch in all that has been done respecting China, and the stories printed in Germany to the effect that he is coming back to reverse those policies are pronounced absurd. The officials are impressed and have been from the beginning with the conviction that any attempt made to punish Prince Tuan before negotiations are undertaken will absolutely defeat all efforts to obtain a peaceable and satisfactory settlement. Indeed, it is believed that the attempt of Germany to apprehend such Chinese officials at this stage has actually been the cause of Prince Tuan's promotion, rather than anything contained in the American refusal of the German proposal. It is pointed out that an inevitable result of such an effort would be to cause the Chinese officials against whom it was directed to strive by everything in their power to secure the support of the throne just as Tuan has in this case.

Mr. Conger was heard from in a brief cablegram today. This was not published, but it is understood to indicate no important developments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29—The Chinese Minister, Wu, today expressed his strong approval of the suggestion by Li Hung Chang that the United States act as mediator for the settlement of the entire Chinese question. The Minister was much gratified at the favorable character of the advices from China, particularly the references of Earl Li to his constant communication with Minister Wu and the specific reference of the Chinese envoy in favor of the United States as mediator. Minister Wu has from the first urged that the United States should take a leading part in the peace settlement, and it is probably due to this position that Earl Li now takes the advanced position in favor of the United States as mediator. Since the suggestion has come from such a high source, the Minister expresses his confidence of being able to secure any authority or requests for an American initiative which may be needful.

In speaking of the matter today, Mr. Wu pointed out that while all the powers had taken a position against the partition of China, yet conditions might arise whereby one power would deem it expedient to occupy territory, thus leading other powers to take a similar course and bring on a general move toward a partition of the Empire. He feels that it is essential to prevent such a contingency and that the United States is in the best position to guard against such a result. Should it occur, the Minister feels that the "open door" and open ports which now invite the commerce of this country would give place to practical closure of China. He holds, therefore, that action by this Government would not only be in the interest of China and all concerned, but particularly in the United States' own interest and for the preservation and safeguarding of our avenues of trade in the Orient. This view of Earl Li and Minister Wu in favor of mediation is in no way inspired by the desires of this Government, but is due entirely to their own view of how the situation should be dealt with.

Referring to the return of the imperial Chinese government to Peking, Mr. Wu says it is a difficult undertaking, so long as there is an armed force at Peking. It might be met, he says, by reducing the several forces, as the American force has been reduced. In the circumstances, the Minister says, assurance from the powers that the imperial government would be protected probably would be the most effective means of bringing about a re-establishment of Chinese administration at Peking.

Minister Wu has been informed that the Viceroys of China, including Li Hung Chang and the Viceroys of Nankin, Wu Chang and other Southern and Central provinces, have united in a memorial to the throne, asking that those responsible for the recent uprising be punished. The Minister has not yet received the text of the memorial and does not know whether it designates by name those who should be punished. It is accepted, however, as an evidence of the position of the most influential rulers in China in favor of the punishment of those concerned in the present troubles.

STEAMER SUNK IN COLLISION.

Norwegian Vessel and Forty-five of Her Passengers and Crew Are Lost at Sea.

NAGASAKI, Sept. 29—The Norwegian steamer Calanda and the Japanese steamer Ise Maru are supposed to have been in collision off Iwo Shima. The Calanda was sunk and forty-five of her passengers and crew were drowned. The Ise Maru put in at Iwo Shima.

The Calanda was a vessel of 865 tons register. She was last reported as having arrived at Nagasaki, August 8th, from Kure.

AFFIDAVITS IN THE HOWARD CASE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 29—Additional affidavits were filed by the defense and counter affidavits by the prosecution in the motion for a new trial for James Howard, who was found guilty Wednesday of the murder of William Goebel. All of the affidavits filed by the defense except one, attack the jurors who sat in the case. One is signed by the defendant and alleges that the jury was not kept together on the occasion as the law requires.

John W. Roy, law clerk to Appellate Judge White, made an affidavit which was filed by the prosecution in which he says that on the morning of the assassination he was met by L. G. Guffey, a son of Judge Guffey, and a prominent young Republican, that the latter said to him: "Goebel will not be Governor, he will be killed before the joint assembly meets."

Judge Cantrill will pass on the motion for a new trial this afternoon.

BURGLARS BUSY IN STOCKTON.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 29—Burglars operated three times in Stockton during the past twenty-four hours. Early this morning the residence of Mrs. Alice Housh, No. 317 North California street was entered and a small sum of money taken from John Housh.

An attempt was made at 1:30 this morning to enter the Badger House on North Joaquin street, but the burglar was frustrated.

Yesterday afternoon a burglar broke into Frank Murphy's dog kennel in the northern part of town and took three hound pups worth $150. One belonged to Murphy and the other was the property of Dominick Shannon, president of the San Mateo Coursing Park.

FLAMES RAGING IN A STEAMSHIP.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 29.—Fire broke out in the third hatch of the big steamship American, Captain Daniels, at 4 o'clock this morning, and at noon was still burning. The compartment contained 25,000 bushels of wheat and many bales of cotton. Many engines pumped water into the vessel for hours and the damage by water will be heavy. The American belongs to the West Indian line and plies between this port and Liverpool. She is one of the largest freight carriers coming into this port.

English Hero Dies at Fresno.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

FRESNO, Sept. 29.—H. A. Trevelyan died this morning from pneumonia.

Colonel Trevelyan has been resident manager of the Barton estate vineyard company, an English corporation, for the past ten years. He was a survivor of the Balaklava charge, being at one time attached as cornet to the Eleventh Hussars. He leaves two daughters in England. He was 67 years of age.

Steamship Arrival.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 29.—The California and Oriental Steamship Cardiale City arrived in port today from Yokohama via Honolulu, with the largest cargo of Oriental goods ever brought to San Diego. She has a clean bill of health and was two days overdue.

MUTILATED BY A MADMAN.

Attendant at Stockton Asylum Nearly Killed.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 29—Peter Martin, an attendant at the State Hospital, was nearly killed about 9 o'clock last evening by a patient named Carlton Stowe who beat him over the head with the heavy buckle of a restraining strap, after which he bit a piece out of his ear, another piece of flesh from his eyebrow and also chewed one of his fingers nearly off. Martin was terrible beaten by the enraged lunatic before he finally got the better of the madman.

Today Martin is in bed under the care of the medical staff, as a result of the injuries he received.

Stowe was committed to the hospital from El Dorado in May, 1895, and is a large and powerful man. He is delusional and believes that he is being pursued and that electricity is being tried upon him. His attack upon Martin was due to the fact that he thought Martin could discharge him from the hospital, but refused to do so.

PROHIBITION CAMPAIGNERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 29—The Prohibition special train arrived here from Minneapolis this morning, making a stop of four hours. A forenoon rally was held in the assembly rooms of the State Capitol, a large crowd being present. Chairman Dickie introduced Henry B. Metcalfe, candidate for Vice-President, who delivered an address.

John G. Woolley was warmly greeted. He spoke on the principal issue of his party.

Today's schedule included stops at Janesville, Fort Madison and Waukesha, closing with the evening meeting at Milwaukee.

Stock Brokers Fail.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—The suspension of U. G. Peters & Co., dealers in stocks and bonds, was announced on the Stock Exchange today. Mr. Peters was not at his office to give out a statement, but other brokers put the liabilities at from $1,000 to $10,000. The failure is said to be due largely to the withdrawal from the firm of Charles Henrotin, who had the New York Stock Exchange membership of the firm.

Fire at Pacific Grove.

PACIFIC GROVE, Cal., Sept. 29.—A fire started in Chinatown at 2:30 o'clock this morning, gaining considerable headway before the flames were checked. The entire town was threatened, but the effective work of the Chinese, aided by the citizens, prevented serious damage. Three buildings were consumed. The loss is about $500.

Excitement in Peru.

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 29 (via Laredo, Tex.) There is much excitement here over the fact that one of the Paris houses on which Former Minister of Finance Volmunde drew about 50,000 francs to be used in part payment for arms purchased in Belgium has failed to meet the first bill due and cannot meet the others maturing yesterday. The Ministers of Finance and War have resigned their portfolios and the Cabinet is still incomplete.

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A Brilliant Regatta of Brawny Berkeley Students.

Sessions' Basin Bright With Colors and Racing Craft.

Sessions' Point, bleak and barren 364 days in the year and silent save for the call of the curlew and the rail, is ablaze this afternoon with the colors of the University of California, and the plaintive querulous call of the shore birds has given place to the chatter, laughter and cheers of hundreds of students and their friends.

It is regatta day of the big University. The mosquito fleet in the basin has slipped moorings and is flitting up and down the estuary trying to keep pace with the athletes who are driving their yellow-bodied racing machines through the water with the regular strokes of piston rods.

It is the first regatta under the re-organization of the Boating Association of the University and the most successful in its history.

SIZING UP.

There are ten events, rowing and swimming, but the greatest interest is centered in the intercLass barge races, seniors vs. juniors, sophomores vs. freshmen. In the first the juniors are the heaviest and of the second the sophomores carry the most weight.

The seniors pull a 32 stroke and the juniors 30 or 31. The sophomores 32 and the freshmen 31. A stroke such as the freshmen pull is well enough to close a lot of blue water between you and the boat ahead when nearing the finish, but for men only two weeks trained to start a mile pull at 31 strokes to the minute and maintain it is a gruelling course.

The starter at the bridge was W. C. Goodwin, who is also the coach of the University Boating Association. Griffiths was coxswain for the seniors, Taubles for the juniors and Blumenthal for the freshmen.

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Heeseman's Removal Sale opens Monday morning, Oct. 1st, at 9 a. m.

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LAST SERVICE ON EARTH RENDERED BY HIS SONS.

Col. Jackson's Offspring Bear His Remains to the Grave.

The Simple But Impressive Funeral of Collector of the Port.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Colonel John P. Jackson, Collector of the Port of San Francisco were held yesterday afternoon at his late residence, 720 Sutter street, San Francisco.

The services were simple and quiet in keeping with the unassuming character of the deceased. The Rev Dr Hemphill, pastor of Calvary Presbyterian Church officiated. The California Quartet opened the service with "Abide With Me."

The pastor then read a passage from the scriptures, after which he delivered a couple of eulogies.

The Ohio Society of California attended in a body and deposited sprigs of buckeye on the bier. The pall-bearers were the six sons of the deceased according to his request, Charles, Andrew, John P., George, Stanley and Raymond. Among those on attendance were Mayor James D Phelan, Joseph S Spear Jr., W. W. Montague, Colonel George H. Pippy, Hon. William H Parrott of Oakland and Supervisor James Booth.

PRIZE WINNERS AT ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

This afternoon the pupils of St. Mary's School conducted by the Christian Brothers received their testimonials of merit which are given monthly to the students having excelled during the month past in deportment, attendance and application to study. Rev M. King made the distribution of awards and addressed the boys after highly complimenting them on their general behavior and marked progress during the month, he presented each of the different grades with a handsome gift, the winners of which in their respective departments being as follows. Reginald Ginchard of the senior department; Lawrence Rivard of the intermediate department; Gussie Olson of the preparatory department. The following are those who received testimonials.

Senior Department, first division—Frank Doherty, Fred Sigwart, Willie Hallahan, Milton Clune, John Doherty. Second Division—William Gloria, Benjamin Diggins, Reginald Ginchard, Emmet Carr, John Clanclarulo, Walter Mulkey.

Intermediate Department—E. Greene, William Hanley, James O'Toole, William Courtney, Laurence Rivard, Daniel McCarthy, William Cox, John Roach, Frank Kelley, Harry Creegan, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Joseph Laverd, Joseph Sherry, Edward Martin, James Doherty, Raymond Feneuf, Louis Harold, Fred McGovern.

Preparatory Department, first division—Louis Azavedo, Frank Courtney, Joseph Curran, Frank Flores, Joseph Ferguson, Emmet Galvin, Willie Lahr, Frank Roach, Charles Vogel, Eddie Doherty, Gussie Olson, second division, Paul Gilbert, Richard Hammond, Willie Curran, Eddie Connors, Hester Dempsey, John Dempsey, Lloyd Ferguson, George Happ, Henry Kennedy, Wilfred Knapp, Frank Langtry, James Mangan, Herbert Evans.

At a recent meeting of the sanctuary boys the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President J Dolling; vice president, James Coakley, treasurer J. Doherty; secretary, W. Stuart. Many new members have been admitted to the society and all are working most anxiously to capture some of the valuable prizes that are to be given the most regular attendance at the services of the sanctuary.

Injured at the High School.

Miss Vida Hatfield, one of the popular young ladies of the High School, fell down the stairs at the school recently and sustained injuries that her attending physician says may keep her on crutches for weeks.

A DAILY NUISANCE.

A Simple Remedy Which Will Interest Catarrh Sufferers.

In its earlier stages catarrh is more of a nuisance than a menace to the general health, but sooner or later, the disease extends to the throat bronchial tubes and even to the stomach and intestines.

Catarrh is essentially a disease of the mucuous membrane, the local symptoms being a profuse discharge of mucous, stoppage of the nostrils, irritation in the throat, causing coughing, sneezing, singing and frequent clearings of the throat and head.

The usual treatment by local douches, snuffs, salves, etc, often gives temporary relief, but anything like a cure can only be obtained by a treatment which removes the catarrhal taint from the blood and the disappearance of the inflammation from the mucous surfaces.

A new remedy which meets these requirements and which so far has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets act upon the blood and mucous membranes only. They can hardly be called a secret patent medicine as they are composed of such valuable remedies as Sanguinaria, Hydrastin, Eucalyptol and similar cleansing antiseptics which cure by eliminating from the blood and mucous surfaces the catarrhal poison. Stuart's Catarrh Tablet are large, pleasant tasting lozenges taken internally allowing them to dissolve slowly in the mouth, in this way they reach the throat fauces and the entire alimentary canal.

If desired, they may also be dissolved in water and used as a douche, in addition to the internal use, but it is not at all necessary to use a douche, a few of them dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient. However, when there is much stoppage of the nose, a douche made from those tablets will give immediate relief, but the regular daily use internally of these tablets will cure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche.

Dr. Bennett states that the internal treatment for catarrh is rapidly taking the place of the old plan of douching, and local application and further says that probably the best and certainly the safest remedy at present on the market is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, as no secret is made of their composition and all the really efficient remedies for catarrh are contained in this tablet."

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at fifty cents for full-sized packages. Ask your druggist and if he is honest he will tell you there is no safer, more palatable, more efficient and convenient remedy on the market.

A MANIA FOR DRUM BEATING.

One of the Eccentricities of Elizabeth Evans.

An affidavit was made in the District Attorney's office today by Mrs Hattie Mitchell of 1151 Fifty-third street, charging her neighbor, Mrs Elizabeth Evans with insanity.

From the statements made by Mrs Mitchell, Mrs. Evans must have queer ways, indeed it is asserted that she has a three-year-old boy in her house, whom she forces to beat a drum continually day and night until the little fellow is so weak and exhausted that he can hardly toddle.

Yesterday afternoon, it is claimed, Mrs Evans accosted a woman on the street, who was a total stranger to her and without any provocation whatever struck her twice in the face.

She has threatened to shoot her neighbors, so they assert, and they are afraid of the woman.

Another of her eccentricities is to pluck the feathers from live fowls and sprinkle them on her neighbors' doorsteps.

The police will not arrest the woman without a warrant and the District Attorney has not fully made up his mind that one should issue.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT FATHER KING'S FAIR.

The fair for the benefit of Father King's church will be continued this evening. An excellent programme has been arranged for the event. There will be a large and delighted audience.

On Thursday evening next the ladies in charge of the Sacred Heart booth at Father Kings fair will give an entertainment at St Mary's Hall at the northeast corner of Seventh and Grove streets. An excellent program has been arranged. It will consist of music, recitations and dramatic readings. The evening will be known as "Irish night" and the different societies connected with Rev. Father King's parish will be in attendance. The following are the names of the ladies in charge of the booth, and, with the assistance of local talent will conduct the entertainment.

Mrs. Frederick president; Miss M. A. Gallagher, Miss R. A. Gallagher, Mrs J. Daley, Miss M Butler, Misses Murray, Miss M L. Sears, Mrs. Gordin, Mrs J Martin, Mrs Kichlek, the Misses Gilligan, Miss King, Miss Gertie Hanley, the Misses McCloy, Miss Madeline Cornor and Mrs P. J. Ryan.

The following named gentlemen will assist: James McElroy, P J. Doughanty and James Daly.

CITY NEEDS MORE SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The Board of Education will ask the Council for $250,000 as its share under the proposed bond issue.

The Board met last night and formulated its requisition for funds under the proposed bond issue and adopted a report which contemplates the providing of a splendid complement to the city's school equipment.

More buildings are provided for, especially in the outlying annexed districts. The additions for which provision is asked are as follows: For the Lafayette School, additional frontage, $8,000, for additions to the building, $4,000, Clawson School building, $6,000, Grove street School building, $10,000.

New sites are asked for as follows: Sixtieth and Grove streets, $6,000; Fortieth and West streets, $7,000, Eleventh and Brush streets, $9,000, at Lynn, $6,000, at Vernon Heights, $5,000.

New buildings are provided for as follows. For manual training school $50,000; at Sixtieth and Grove streets, $50,000, at Fortieth and West streets $56,000, at Eleventh and Brush streets, $21,000.

EMIL BRUGUIERE PASSES AWAY.

The death of Emil Bruguiere, the well known San Francisco capitalist, is reported having occurred yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock at his residence, 1300 Franklin street.

The deceased was 51 years of age, a native of New York, but had resided in San Francisco for the past twenty-five years. His wife was formerly Miss Josephine Sather, daughter of the late Peter Sather, banker of this city. He leaves, besides his wife, four sons—Dr. Peter Bruguiere, Emil Bruguiere, Francis Bruguiere and Louis Bruguiere—the last named being at school at Cambridge and the only absent member of the family. The mother of the deceased, Mrs A. Bruguiere, and a brother, Chief Officer Bruguiere of the Army transport Hancock, are also in San Francisco. The funeral will be held at 2.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the residence, only the intimate friends being invited, and the interment will take place in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

LENNEFELTS STILL WARRING FIERCELY.

The contest of Mr. and Mrs. William Lennefelt for the custody of their minor child was resumed this morning before Judge Ellsworth. While the husband has been pleading for a reconciliation with his wife, begging her to return to him and insisting that he will never be happy until they kiss and make up, he deliberately attempted to introduce evidence today that his wife was not a good housekeeper, a dutiful wife, or a proper person to care for their child.

Lennefelt himself went on the stand and destroyed the force of much of the evidence given for him by admitting that he had sent his wife but $5 in two years, and that was to redeem her watch, which he had pawned.

EXPLAINING THE GAME LAW.

The District Attorney has rendered an opinion in a matter referred to him by Game Warden Dunleavy as to who her the State law or the county ordinance should be followed in determining the closed season for valley quail, Bob White and partridges. The State fixes the closed season from March 1 to October 1, and the county ordinance from February 1 to November 1. The District Attorney advises that in the absence of any court decision bearing on the point the county ordinance be the governing rule.

Claims of Republican Party.

The fourth address in the Twentieth Century Club's series of party claims in the forthcoming election will take place at the Unitarian Church tomorrow evening, when ex-Mayor William R. Davis will speak on "The Moral Claims of the Republican Party."

Married in Hall of Records.

Martin Ohlmeyer and Miss Carmen de la Cruz, both of San Francisco, were married yesterday afternoon by Justice Quinn in the private office of County Clerk Jordan.

Piedmont Elk Recaptured.

The large elk which escaped from the enclosure at Piedmont Park recently has been recaptured by the employes of the Park and returned to his quarter.

MEMORIAL TO ARTIST YELLAND

A Move on Foot to Buy one of the Artist's Best Pictures.

The following has been sent to THE TRIBUNE for publication:

"A subscription has been started to raise enough money to buy one of Yelland's pictures for the Oakland Free Public Library. The peculiar fitness of this movement will be recognized by all familiar with Mr. Yelland and his relation to the Library. Always a public-spirited citizen, ready to lend his aid to any object that promoted the higher good of the town he lived in, he was especially interested in the Library. When the loan exhibit of paintings was started over a year ago Mr Yelland exhibited two canvasses and exchanged them at intervals for others, so that he was nearly always represented. More than this, he consented to act as hanging committee for the exhibit and his advice was always ready and valuable. The knowledge that Mr. Yelland was interested at once gave all his brother artists confidence in the exhibit, for they knew that nothing but good work would be shown and that it would be shown to its good advantage as the circumstances permitted.

"The exhibit of Mr. Yelland's work at the Hopkins Institute of Art, just closed, has been successful in disposing of a good many of his pictures, but there are many of his most characteristic canvases yet to be had. One of these is to come to Oakland as the first painting of the Library's permanent collection. This is assured by the amount of money already in sight. But it is hoped that one of the more important paintings may be chosen, and to this end all who are inclined to aid the project are asked to send word to me at the Library as soon as possible. Haste is necessary, as the field of selection will doubtless narrow rapidly by the disposal of the choicer paintings.

"The prices as marked in the sale catalogue run from $25 up to several hundred dollars. It is to be hoped, for the sake of the Oakland Public Library, as well as for the sake of the family of this good man that has gone that a considerable sum may be raised. With no effort to speak of and with almost no referenda the list stands at the start:

"Mrs Emma Slafter-Howard	$20 00
"B H Pendleton	5 00
"Chas S. Greene	10 00
"F. I Bamford	2 00

"Several other friends have indicated their purpose to contribute.

"CHAS. S. GREENE,
Librarian."

STRIKE VIRTUALLY SETTLED.

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Coal and Iron Company; Osmond Reichert of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company; Edward Reese, Lentz & Co, Robert Quinn, Susquehanna Coal Company; Thomas D. Jones, Mill Creek Coal Company; E. B. Bullock, Hudson Coal Company; J. B McGinnis, Cambridge Coal Company, and a number of business men of this borough.

The conference ended a few minutes after 3 o'clock without coming to a definite conclusion. Regarding the removal of troops, General Gobin said:

"I have too many soldiers here and will send some of the troops home Monday."

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Sept 29—The operators in this vicinity were pleased this morning because a larger number of men reported for work at Midvalley colliery. The strike leaders are not discouraged by the circumstances, calling attention to the fact that those who went underground did so for the purpose of cleaning up. At the North Franklin mine, near Treverton, this morning, 40 per cent of the men went to work.

SCRANTON, Pa, Sept 29—The miners' strike in the Lackawanna region closes the second week without any noticeable change in conditions. The strike officers at district headquarters have instructed the men, in view of a possible settlement proposition from the operators, to remain away from the mines and to take no action toward going back to work until advised to do so through the local unions, which will get word from President Mitchell and the general executive board.

The National Committeeman, Delcher, of the strikers' organization, who is at Hazelton, telephoned here this morning that he would be at the meeting of the national board at Hazleton this afternoon and that a statement will be issued.

READING, Pa, Sept 29—The Reading Company is now drawing on its anthracite coal in the yard at Schuylkill Haven, where a considerable quantity was placed last month.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE DR. BENTLEY.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Robt. Bentley of Berkeley will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the late residence of the deceased, Le Conte avenue, Berkeley. They will be strictly private. Previously, however, there will be memorial services at the Methodist Church, at which addresses will be made by Rev J Jenness Rev Dr Kirby, Dr. H. D. Hammond, Dr. H. Heacock.

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GOLDEN GATE FAIR COMES TO A CLOSE.

Directors are Gratified With all the Results.

Today is the last day of the Golden Gate Fair and the attendance is even better than at any time during the week. There was some good racing yesterday and more money changed hands than at any day during the meet.

The directors of the fair are highly satisfied with the result of the week. The attendance has been even larger than expected, the stock show was one of the finest in years and the racing card was the best that could be arranged. Altogether the Golden Gate fair for 1900 may be pronounced a success.

Tom Thumb captured the gentlemen's road race in three straight heats.

Gusto was placed for a good thing in the five furlong dash, being hammered down from 3 to 1 to 5 to 5, and came out winner after a struggle with Billy Moore.

Punmint was the favorite in the third event but Mike Rice proved the winner, with For Freedom second and Bamboulla third.

In the five and a half furlong race for 2-year-olds Articulate made his field lock very ordinary. He opened up a gap of six lengths in the first quarter and was eased up.

Flush of Gold captured the mile race. Grand Sachem looked to have a chance half way down the stretch, but Flush of Gold easily passed him, despite the disadvantage in his weight.

Briar Hill is another animal of the improving kind. He annexed the last event without any great effort, while Alaria beat Cudale for the place.

RESULT.

The result of the races up to the hour of going to press was as follows:

FIRST RACE—FIRST HEAT.

Myrta Whips first.
Goshen Jim second.
Cloe third.
Delphi fourth.
Ednar fifth.
Time, 2 25.

SECOND HEAT.

Myrtha Whips first.
Ednar second.
Goshen third.
Delphi fourth.
Cloe fifth.
Time, 2 10.

THIRD HEAT.

Myrtha Whips first.
Delphi second.
Ednar third.
Cloe fourth.
Goshen Jim fifth.
Time, 2 20.

SECOND RACE.

Sidelong first, 10 to 1.
Claranda second, 3 to 1.
Homestake third, 5 to 1.
Time, 1.16.

THIRD RACE.

Moonlight first, 3 to 10.
Phil Archibald, second, 2 to 1.
El Tonto third, 10 to 1.
Time, 1:52½.

BROKE FOR LIBERTY AND NOW LOCATED.

J. Dunton and J. Dempsey, the burglars who escaped from the County Jail during Sheriff Whelan's administration and successfully avoided capture have finally been located and efforts will probably be made to bring them back here to answer for their crimes.

Jailer Schoenau received a letter this afternoon from a friend in Alaska stating that the pair were in trouble at Nome and were in jail at the mining town.

Dunton and Dempsey were members of an organized gang that terrorized Alameda about five years ago.

The crowd was finally rounded up one morning by Police Officer Albert Kamp who, after a running fire with the crooks succeeded in capturing two of them. The others escaped.

After Dunton and Dempsey were held to answer for burglary, they made their escape from the County Jail.

They cut a hole through the tin roof and scaled the high walls by means of a ladder made of broom handles fastened together with wire.

Heeseman's Removal Sale opens Monday morning, Oct. 1st, at 9 a. m.

BULLETS FLY IN SALOON ROW.

VALLEJO, Cal., Sept. 29—David Barker, an ex-marine, who came here on the Boston, shot Frank Burns and James Coakley in a saloon row this morning. Three shots in all were fired, Coakley receiving a bullet in the arm which shattered the elbow and necessitated amputation, while Burns was hit in the neck, the bullet narrowly missing the jugular.

Burns and Coakley had been annoying Barker for some time and the shooting resulted. Barker was arrested on the charge of attempted murder.

AT BED TIME

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

FINE OFFICES.

Newly renovated, offices in Blake Block, 468 Washington St., in suits of three and two rooms—elevator at entrance will take you to the door of offices. Also fine offices in Woodman Block on 12th St., connecting with Blake Block. Call at office of Block, rm 14, for further information.

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LARGE CROWDS GREET BRYAN.

FARGO, N. D., Sept. 29.—Hankinson was the first stop today of the Bryan special train. Mr. Bryan talked to the large crowd for five minutes, dealing freely with the questions of the increase of the standing army and imperialism. He told them that the one's was dependant upon the other and he said that in our purchase of the Philippines we had only secured an option on a fight for the islands.

The next stop was at Wah Peton. Here a stand had been erected in the center of the town and from it Mr. Bryan spoke for fifteen minutes. He said in part:

"Under the Republican administration the trusts have increased. If you like the trusts you ought to vote the Republican ticket. I am reminded of one of Solomon's proverbs, he said. 'The wise man foreseeth the evil and hideth himself, but the foolish pass on and are punished.'

"Sometimes I find a Republican who cannot remember long sentences, so I have condensed this so they can remember it. Solomon's proverb condensed reads this way: 'The wise man gets an idea into his head, the foolish man gets it in the neck.'"

Discussing the Philippine question, he said:

"You will search history in vain for a more dishonorable part than the Republican party has taken in turning a war for humanity into a war for conquest."

He referred to the fact that a company of soldiers for the Philippines had been organized in Washington and asked how much of the Oriental trade should be required in exchange for the life of one of them. He wanted expansion of trade as much as any one, he said, but he was "not willing to put one American boy on the block and auction him off for all the trade of the East."

U. C. BARGES GAILY PLOW THE ESTUARY.

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men. The sophomores had not selected a coxswain at this writing.

BLUE AND GOLD.

All crews were in blue and gold uniform and it was practically impossible for the spectators to distinguish the relative positions of the crews until the finish. It is quite possible that this will be remedied at the next regatta by each class adopting some bright color that may be easily followed.

The start in the first event was from the Harrison street bridge with the finish a mile away toward the east opposite the flag on Sessions' Point. Conditions were excellent for good races, the water being smooth and nearly slack and the wind with the racers.

The start was at 2 p. m. and the oars of the two barge crews struck the water almost at the same instant. Up the course they were cheered by the crews of the anchored ships and ahead on the point was a mass of waving color that marked the finish. The crews were as follows:

Seniors—Magee, stroke; Harley, after-waist; Beck, forward-waist; Griffiths, bow.

Juniors—F. Bedewill, stroke; Hill, after-waist; C. Roseatti, forward-waist, Baird, bow.

SENIORS WON.

Shortly after they got away the seniors pulled away from their competitors and maintained a lead of nearly five lengths until a quarter of a mile from the finish, when the juniors got down to steady work and reduced the gap to two lengths. The time of the seniors was 5 minutes 21 seconds; that of the juniors, 5 25. The seniors pulled a strong, steady stroke, but the juniors were unsteady and splashed a great deal of water.

Y. M. C. A. Night School.

The Y. M. C. A. night school was opened at the Association building at Twelfth and Clay street last night with a short program of musical selections followed by an address by Secretary Jacks.

Certificates were awarded for the work of last season to the following members:

Business course—Kenneth Lawton, P. A. Henderson, S. C. Horsford Shorthand—W. E. Rode, S. C. Bennetts.

Mechanical drawing—J. J. Murphy, Archie B. Dick, L. I. Coonradt, Fred Wetmore Jr. Bible study—John W. Thomas, Gabriel Espeland.

The course includes instruction in Spanish and in oratory and elocution, as well as along the more practical lines.

The management has arranged with the Polytechnic Business College so that members of the Association secure the advantages of an evening course at that school.

Salvation Army Harvest Festival

The harvest festival of the Salvation Army commenced this afternoon with a free fruit feast for poor children from 2 to 5 at Salvation Army Hall on Ninth street. Staff Captain Crawford was in charge.

This evening a number of reformed drunkards will testify at the hall. Tomorrow's exercises will be held at the Exposition Building. It will be conducted by Lieutenant-Colonel William Evans. The exhibition and sale of fancy articles will be held on Monday at the Exposition building from 2 to 10 p. m., and there will be a concluding entertainment on Tuesday night at the same place.

Heeseman's Removal Sale opens Monday morning, Oct. 1st, at 9 a. m.

Woman Burned to Death

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 29.—Mrs. R. C. Pickett was burned to death at her home today by the explosion of a lamp.

ROOSEVELT IN KANSAS.

IOLA, Kan., Sept. 29—At 8 o'clock this morning Governor Roosevelt made a five-minute address at Eldorado, Kan. At Eureka, the next stop, the Governor spoke on the rear platform of his coach. Among other things he said:

"I have a certain peculiar right to come before you because it was Kansas, more than any other State, that insisted upon my nomination for Vice-President, so you are responsible in a large measure for my being here."

At Yates Center another stop of five minutes was made. The Governor was greeted by the population with a good deal of cheering, but the time was so short that he had scarcely time to say more than that he was glad to meet the people of Kansas and to travel through their historic State.

Several thousand people were assembled at the station at Chanute, watching for the arrival of Governor Roosevelt. No time was lost in preliminaries and here he compared in a few words the prophecies of disaster uttered by Mr. Bryan four years ago with the prosperity of the present time and asked his hearers to judge of the lesson taught thereby for themselves.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 29—The Roosevelt special train is expected to arrive at the Union Depot at 6.30 o'clock and will be met by a regular regiment of mounted Rough Riders and escorted to Armourdale, Kansas, just across the State line, where he speaks first. Governor Roosevelt will then be escorted back to Convention Hall in this city, where he makes his second speech.

Tonight's meeting marks the opening of the Republican campaign in Kansas City. Besides Governor Roosevelt, Joseph Florin, Republican nominee for Governor, E. F. Allen, on the same ticket for Lieutenant-Governor, and W. B. C. Brown, Republican nominee for Congress from this district, will also speak.

CARBOLIC ACID ROBBED HER OF HER LIFE.

The autopsy over the remains of Alberta MacDonald, who died suddenly last night at her home on Chicago avenue near Fourth avenue, which was conducted this afternoon by Drs. Shannon and Selfridge, developed the fact that death was due to carbolic acid poisoning.

That the act was premeditated was proven by the finding of the bottle which had contained the deadly potion in the yard in front of the unfortunate girl's home. She had thrown it there immediately after having taken the fatal draught and before retiring to her bed, where she died.

HOWARD DIES IN DECEMBER.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 29—The motion for a new trial in the Howard case was overruled this afternoon.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 29—Howard was sentenced to hang December 7th.

HANNA TALKS TO THE DRUMMERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Sept 29—Senator Hanna talked to the Commercial Travelers' McKinley and Roosevelt Club at noon today. B. F. Cory, deputy naval officer of the port, presided and introduced the speakers. Fred Ziegel, president of the club, read a letter received from President McKinley, which was as follows:

"My dear sir:—I have your letter of the 21st telling of the work you are doing and send greetings to you and the members of your club.

"Please accept my thanks for your kindly expressions of good will which are appreciated.

"Sincerely yours,
"WILLIAM McKINLEY."

Senator Hanna's speech consumed twenty minutes.

ENGLAND'S GOLD SUPPLY SHORT.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, Sept. 29—The Statist says any appreciable decline in the value of money next week or next month cannot be expected. It calls attention to the fact that all foreign exchanges are against England.

"That America will be in a position to call gold from London is undoubted," it says, "and as we cannot afford to send gold to the United States, we may be obliged to offer higher interest to prevent gold shipments."

M'KINLEY ARMY AND NAVY LEAGUE.

A meeting of the McKinley Army and Navy League will be held at its headquarters, 460 Ninth street tonight. Comrades are requested to turn out and show their colors. Good speeches will be delivered and old army songs will be sung. Everybody will be invited.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Fine Offices.

Newly renovated offices in Blake block, 1065 Washington street, in suites of three and two rooms. Elevator at entrance will take you to the door of offices. Also fine offices in Woodmen Block on Twelfth street, connecting with Blake block. Call at office of block, room 14, for further information.

NO SUCCESSOR TO C. P. HUNTINGTON

NEW YORK, Sept. 29—The Mail and Express today prints the following:

The directors of the Southern Pacific Railroad will hold their regular monthly meeting next Thursday but it is not likely they will select a president to succeed the late C. P. Huntington then.

A report from San Francisco says the presidency was offered by a special committee to H. E. Huntington, the first vice-president, but he declined. D. Ogden Mills, one of the committee having the selection of a president in charge, said today that he knew of no such offer.

Mr. Mills was reminded of the reports that have been current to the effect that the Big Four road would become an integral part of the Vanderbilt system in the near future, and he was asked whether in that case President Ingalls of that road might not be a likely candidate for the presidency of the Southern Pacific.

"I hardly think so," said Mr. Mills.

Mr. Ingalls called at the office of the Southern Pacific a few days ago.

Married.

CREWILER—LIST—In Alameda, September 27, 1900, by the Rev. John Coyle, D. D., John Crewiler and Beatrice List, both of San Francisco.

Died

BROWN—In East Oakland, September 27, 1900, Isabell C. Brown, mother of George and W. Brown, Mrs J. H. Kruse and Mrs. C. Boyer, a native of England, aged 81 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow, Sunday, September 30th, at 2 o'clock P. M., from parlors of Albert Brown, 466 Thirteenth street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

HURD—In Fruit Vale, September 28, 1900, Rachel L., widow of the late Rev. I. N. Hurd, mother of H. F. Hurd and Mrs. J. C. Gambs, a native of New York, aged 65 years, 5 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Monday, October 1st, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., from Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, East Oakland. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

New York papers please copy.

BENTLEY—In Berkeley, September 28, 1900, Rev. Robert Bentley, D. D., a native of Cambridge, England, aged 62 years, 4 months, 22 days.

Memorial services will be held tomorrow, Sunday, at 2 o'clock P. M., from Trinity M. E. Church, corner Dalton and Dwight way, Berkeley.

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REMOVAL AUCTION.

OF CALIFORNIA BAKERY, RESTAURANT, NO. 1111 WASHINGTON STREET, ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1900, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

On account of changes in the Kahn Building Mr. Feldmann is obliged to move and has bought Brunning's candy business, and has instructed me to sell everything in said bakery consisting of oak grill work, platforms, and fixtures costing $[illegible], 160 yards of English ingrain carpet, national cash register, Vienna chairs, cherry tables, oak shelving and counters, showcases, kitchen utensils, crockery, Venetian mirrors, chandeliers, etc., etc. Terms cash. Sale peremptory.

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SEAMSTRESS would like to do plain and children's sewing; reasonable. Address Seamstress, room 10, 517 Ninth street, Oakland. h

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$10—Cottage of 4 rooms on Twenty-fifth street. In very good condition.

$18.50—Cottage of 6 rooms in good condition; on Twenty-fourth street.

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El Dorado Avenue Residence for M. H. Turner

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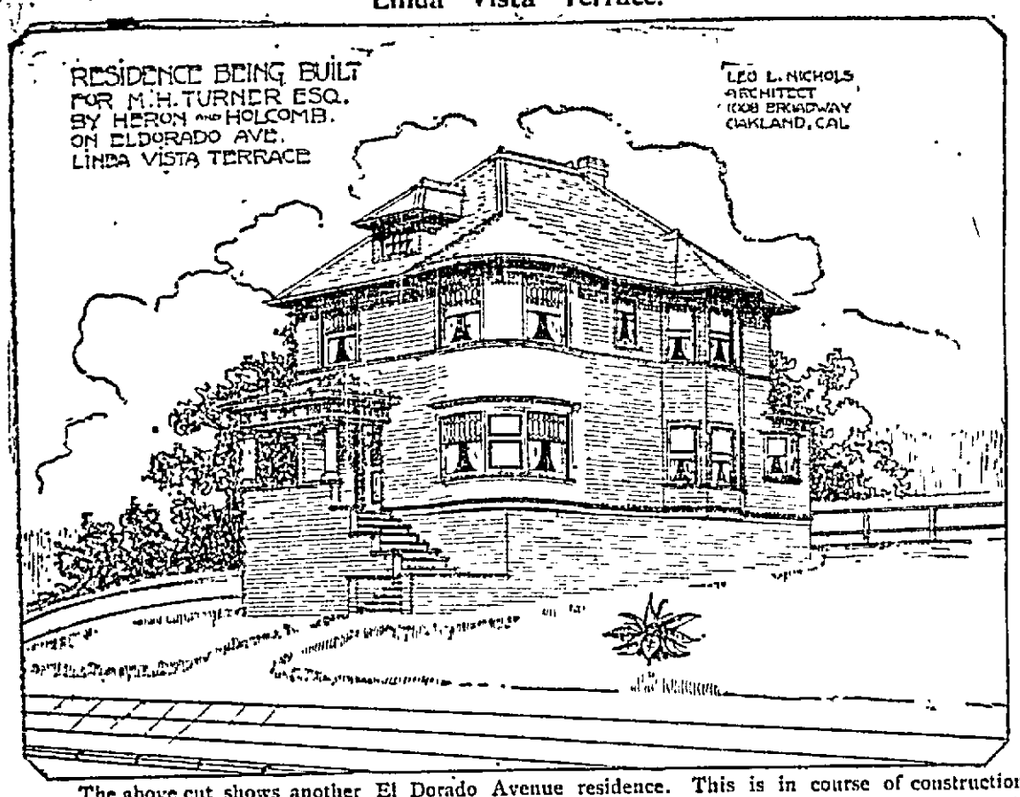

The above cut shows another El Dorado Avenue residence. This is in course of construction for Mr. M. H. Turner on the northwesterly side of that avenue, adjoining the residence of Mrs. M. E. Dean. The house contains, on the first floor, reception hall, living, dining and breakfast rooms, besides kitchen and pantries. On the second floor are four bed-rooms, bath-room, closets, etc. The interior finish will be natural redwood, with curly redwood panels in reception hall and living-room; Sissons pine in dining-room and breakfast-room, and Douglas fir throughout the rest of the house. Mr. Turner expects to occupy his residence in November next.

SEASON OF OPERA AND SYMPHONY.

Prospects That Both Will Be Enjoyed During the Months of Winter.

The song of a violin—
The bow just sweeps the strings.
First, tenuous and thin
The notes begin.
And then, oh, how it sings
With a soaring voice and human
Of the love of man and woman,
Life's yearning and its pain,
And the heart unsatisfied;
The gladness that is gain,
The hope that fainted, died,
And the hope that soared and soared,
Climbing high on a master chord,
Where it gathers strength to reach
Some far, white peak in ether,
Beyond the scope of speech,
As pas the pole of sense,
Lost to the ear, and then
We are back on earth again,
Back in the world of men.
—Alice Lena Cole.

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Liszt's generosity to Wagner is, perhaps, one of the finest examples of true hero-worship to be found in the annals of art, or, indeed, of life itself.

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The concert given by Mrs. Mollie Melvin-Dewing on last Thursday evening at the First Methodist church attracted a large audience. The program was not given altogether according to the text, there being a change in two numbers, viz.: that of Mrs. Dewing and Mr. McBride. Mrs. Dewing was down on the program for a number, but had been forbidden by her physician to sing, as she had been suffering from an acute sore throat for some time. Of course this was a great disappointment not only to the many friends who desired to again listen to the sweet, sympathetic voice, but it was also a disappointment to the lady herself, who had hoped to be able to sing.

Mr. McBride, who was also to have sung, failed to appear, and his place was taken by J. M. Robinson on the shortest possible notice. But Mr. Robinson did so much justice to the song, and was so well received, that the failure on Mr. McBride's part was forgiven. The rest of the program was carried out as advertised, and it is herewith given. Altogether the concert was very successful, all of the participants being very cordially received. There was a plethora of encores with an absence of bouquets. Mrs. Dewing was the recipient of a handsome bunch of pink carnations bearing the card of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Neustadt, Edinburgh, Scotland—a beautiful little reminder of appreciative friends in so far away over land and sea. The following was the program:

Anthem—"Unfold Ye Portals Everlasting" ..... Gounod
Church Choir.
J. M. Robinson, director; Mrs. Westell Organist.
a—"Blue the Bay" ..... Mason
b—"Thy Name" ..... Wood
Mrs. Mollie Melvin Dewing.
Duo—"Quis Est Homo" (Stabat Mater) ..... Rossini
Mrs. Dexter, Mrs. Nicholson.
a—Two Preludes ..... Chopin
b—Polonaise C sharp Minor ..... Chopin
Mr. John W. Metcalf.
"O Harp Immortal" ..... Gounod
Mrs. Carroll Nicholson.
Organ Solo—
a—"Andante from IV Symphonie" Widor
b—"Pastorale" ..... Lemare
William B. King.
"Polacca" (Mignon) ..... A. Thomas
Mrs. Dexter
"Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind" ..... Sarjeant
J. M. Robinson.
a—"Who Is Sylvia" ..... German
b—"Oh Every Joy on Earth Is Mine" ..... Schumann
Mrs. Dexter, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Dewing, Miss Gray, Mr. Rowlands, Mr. Philpott, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Davis.
Mrs. Margaret Camer n Smith was the accompanist of the evening.

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The Tivoli grand opera is still flourishing, and new operas are finding their way on the bill. No, one may not say new operas, for there has not been one new opera yet given this season. But an opera like "The Barber of Seville" seems always new in its freshness, and one which must always be given one night say—superlatively well to make it attractive. Rossini's highly-colored music demands far different handling from the heavy and, at times unwieldy, music of Wagner. It is ever and, always, Italian from start to finish, and a fine exponent of the Rossini school must not be expected to replace Wagner as Wagner conceived that his music should be sung. Hence, Italian opera given by German voices seems as much out of place as it does to hear an Irishman speak French. The bill for "The Barber" was well distributed, and in excellent hands. It was as follows, Rosini being sung by Repetto, who carried the house with her singing, her voice being especially fitted for the brilliant coloratura music. Basso, as the mock music teacher, sang the part well, while the "Figaro" of Ferrari, and "Don Basilio" of Nicolini developed a new side for these artists. Signor Paoltza made a fine and amusing papa. Poletini did the utmost possible for the character of "Berta." The opera showed careful rehearsals and went with a dash and swing which spoke well for all concerned. It should run another week. The other opera of the week was Tannhauser, alternating with "The Barber."

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The long-announced appearance of the Azzali Grand Italian Opera Company took place at the California Theater on Wednesday evening, the opera given being "Lucia" instead of "Otello," as previously announced, the orchestral parts of that opera being detained in the custom house at El Paso. Madame Turconi Brain sang the title role, and Victorio Castellano took the part of "Ricardo." Lorenzo Bellagania, the principal baritone of the company, took the part of "Sir Henry Ashton." He is spoken of as a man of magnificent physique, being six feet in height and weighing 200 pounds. He is also mentioned as being the best baritone who ever came to America. An orchestra of thirty pieces under the direction of Signor Azzali gives a strong setting for the operas, and should prove an attraction. Popular prices will prevail.

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The Minetti Martel announces its fifth season of chamber music concerts. These concerts will be given in Sherman, Clay & Co's Hall, and will maintain the high standard which has characterized all the others and which has made them so very enjoyable and so important as educational factors in this special department of music.

Mr. Minetti is so very well known that nothing need be said concerning him, his name being a sufficient guaranty for the concerts.

The series will consist of six semi-monthly concerts, three in the afternoon and three in the evening. The first one will be given on the afternoon of Friday, October 5th, at a quarter after three o'clock.

Subscriptions for these concerts may be made at the music house of Sherman Clay & Co.

The program for the first concert is a very interesting one, and includes a new composition—a quartet in A minor, by a new Russian composer, Ippolitoff Ivanow and the Schubert quintet in C major, for two violins, a viola, and two violincelli. The concerts will no doubt be successful.

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A symphony concert will be given at the Tivoli Opera House on the afternoon of Thursday, October 18th, under the direction of Mr. Otto Hirschfeld, director at the Tivoli. It should be a very successful one, as the prospectus indicates that no trouble will be spared to make it so. Subscriptions may be made at Sherman Clay & Co's music house in either San Francisco or Oakland. It is to be devoutly hoped that we are not to be left without a series of symphony concerts this season, and perhaps this one concert will create an appetite for others. Very true, the Grau Grand Opera season begins in November but that should not interfere with any plan for symphony concerts.

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The concerts of Miss Anna Miller Wood, which have been given in Sherman Clay & Co's hall, San Francisco, have been very successful and were highly spoken of.

JOHN W. METCALF.

Heeseman's Removal Sale opens Monday morning, Oct. 1st, at 9 a. m.

AN IMPOSTER JAILED IN BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, Sept. 29.—While Capt. Mummert, who is the officer in charge of the Volunteers of America, was approaching a Berkeley residence yesterday, he saw a man wearing a badge of the Volunteers soliciting money from the lady of the house.

Capt. Mummert at once suspected that the fellow was an impostor and seizing him, demanded that he give an account of himself.

The man made an attempt to conceal the badge which he had sewed upon his coat, but the Captain compelled him to exhibit it and then held him while the mistress of the house telephoned for Officer Lloyd, who took the impostor in tow and hauled him before Justice of the Peace Robert Edgar.

Judge Edgar found the fellow guilty of soliciting alms and sent him to jail for ninety days.

At the expiration of his present sentence, Captain Mummert will be awaiting him with a fresh charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, for which he expects to obtain evidence next week and hopes then he may have the fellow sent up for an extended sentence.

OAKLAND MISSIONARIES MEET.

The Oakland Home and Foreign Missionary Society held its semi-annual meeting yesterday in the First Presbyterian Church on Allston way. There was a large attendance at all the meetings. The following addresses were delivered: "Belief in Foreign Missions," Mrs. F. H. Robinson; "To Every One a Part," Mrs. A. I. Aldrich; "Christian Fellowship," Mrs. J. E. Anderson; "What Meaneth This?" Mrs. A. P. Lowrie, a returned missionary from the scene of the Boxer uprising; "Soul Winning," Rev. Dwight E. Potter, "The Possibilities of the Afro-American," Mrs. W. H. Hamilton; "My Work in Tucson," Mrs. A. C. Culbert.

SCHWARTZ TELL LEADER.

Milton Schwartz, '01, was unanimously chosen as yell leader yesterday by the "Hooters' Club," which does the yelling and singing for the football games at the University of California. Stewart G. Masters, '01, was chosen president of the club. The first and second elevens lined up for a few minutes yesterday afternoon. Sharp, fast work marked the play.

UNIVERSITY DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

The organization of the Bryan and Stevenson Club of the University of California was perfected yesterday. Nearly one hundred college Democrats were present. Action was taken to join the National Association of Democratic Clubs and to secure speakers from the State Central Committee.

Money for Galveston.

The entertainment held in Alcatraz Hall Monday evening last, under the auspices of the members of the Second Congregational Church, West Oakland, for the benefit of the Galveston sufferers, was a success, socially and financially. The program was under the direction of Mrs. L. D. McHugh, teacher of elocution. The popular singer, Mrs. Carroll Nicholson, Professor Palmer, teacher of stringed instruments, and Mr. Wm. Wallace, a noted amateur of San Francisco, kindly assisted. All the talent was generously donated. The net proceeds amounted to $35.

Day Found Guilty.

William Day, who has been on trial before Judge Greene and a jury on a charge of assault, was found guilty last night after the jury had been out for several hours. Sentence will be pronounced next Wednesday.

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VERY VIVACIOUS ONE MOMENT AND DEAD THE NEXT.

Sad Ending of the Life of Miss Alberta MacDonald.

Found in the Throes of Death By Her Heart-Broken Mother.

Miss Alberta MacDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacDonald, residing on Chicago avenue, East Oakland, died yesterday evening under circumstances which render a Coroner's inquest necessary.

Miss MacDonald called on a girl friend and, in the early evening, assisted in the entertainment of her mother's callers.

About 6 P. M. she complained of feeling faint and retired to her room.

Her mother followed her shortly to learn how she was feeling and found her daughter breathing heavily and at once fearing something serious, summoned a physician.

The latter arrived within ten minutes but the girl was dying and the end came quickly.

Those who first entered the room thought they detected an odor of carbolic acid and administered antidotes while waiting for the physician. A search of the room failed to reveal any trace of the acid or any means by which the young lady might have ended her own life.

The relatives of the girl say the suicide theory is absurd. They say that if a drug were taken it was taken by mistake. Both Mr. and Mrs. McDonald are prostrated, but John Thompson, a life-long friend of the family, who was a guest when the girl left the parlor and who remained during the evening, gave the family's version of the affair:

"We all believe it was an accident," he said, "for Birdie was in the best of spirits all the afternoon. We thought nothing of it when she left the room, but presently her mother heard her moaning and hastened to her. Birdie was unconscious and dying, and passed away just as the physician came in. We have been unable to find out what she took, but whatever it was it certainly was taken by mistake."

Miss MacDonald was about 20 years of age and a year ago was a student in the Oakland High School. Hard study resulted in nervous troubles and a general breaking down of her health necessitated her leaving school. For some weeks Miss MacDonald has been very despondent over the fact that to be able to enter the State University she would have to make up a great deal of lost time—a thing which her poor health made practically impossible. Her father is Charles R. MacDonald, employed in the auditing department of Wells Fargo in San Francisco.

Superior Court Notes.

Mary J. Crynn has obtained a decree in foreclosure against Anna Ringberger for $3,10.65.

The foreclosure judgment of the California Annual Conference of the M. E. Church against W. W. Woodcock in the sum of $,066.67 has been fully satisfied. A. W. Bell has purchased the property.

The suit of Henry T. Holmes against Joseph M. Warren to obtain possession of property valued at $1,000 was on trial before Judge Hall yesterday. The plaintiff alleges that he leased the property to defendant, while the latter claims that he owed Holmes about $1000 and gave the latter a deed to the property simply as security. The property in question is located near Lake Merritt.

Swallowed a Bone

Edward Doyle, a plumber, swallowed a fishbone this morning and almost choked to death before he was relieved. He rushed to the Receiving Hospital, where Steward Borchert removed the bone with a pair of forceps.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. A. E. Stuart of this city has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Peterson, near Bowman, Placer county.

A marriage license has been issued in San Jose to Jesse E. Prince of this city and Willie Smith of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Adams Ferguson of San Jose are spending a few weeks in this city.

Mrs. J. Sabin of Sacramento has returned home after visiting friends in this city.

Rev. E. J. Page and wife of Hanford will attend the session of the Methodist Church which will be held in this city next week.

Miss Claire Fahrenholz, daughter of Captain J. Fahrenholz of San Francisco while on a visit to her aunt Mrs. J. H. Murray of West Oakland attended the Dewey Theater and was the happy recipient of the cash prize awarded by Landers Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips have returned from Trinity county, and are at their home 977 Sixth avenue, East Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Frost after spending three months in Siskiyou county have returned to their home 553 Knox street.

CAPTAIN WOODSIDE IS SUSPENDED.

Captain A. M. Woodside, formerly commander of the ship May Flint was suspended yesterday afternoon for one year by the United States inspectors for carelessness when that vessel was sunk by running into the battleship Iowa. The inspectors held that the captain was aware that he was taking a risk when he sailed up the bay, for his own test many was to the effect that, had he known he would not have met a tug up the bay, he would have dropped anchor off Meiggs wharf.

Licensed to Marry.

David Philip Kelly, Oakland	30
Mary H. Grant, Oakland	21
Frank Nevis, Pleasanton	42
Mary Melin, Pleasanton	25
George Frederick Wagner, Centerville	21
Annie Meyer, San Francisco	20
Wilber Fisk Hixon, San Francisco	32
Ella Virginia Tucker, French Corral	27
William Scott, Oakland	24
Mary P. Perry, Oakland	18
Charles Ewart Green, San Lorenzo	27
Lotta Manley, San Lorenzo	21
Martin Ohlmeyer, San Francisco	29
Carmen de la Cruz, San Francisco	27
William Ellsworth Dailey, San Francisco	36
Mary Jane Cook, San Francisco	21
Thomas F. Timmons, San Francisco	28
Hettie Simpson, San Francisco	35
Silas Luke Pierce, San Francisco	26
Blanche C. O'Connor, Oakland	22
James Tritte, San Francisco	41
Mary Feeney, San Francisco	35
Bertrand Grazia Denson, S. F.	22
Annie Leuka Brennan, S. F.	23
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May Frances O'Doul, S. F.	19
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Lizzie Peacemaker, Oakland	27

Bravo Men Fail.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at Osgood Bros.' Drug Store, corner Seventh and Broadway. Every bottle guaranteed.

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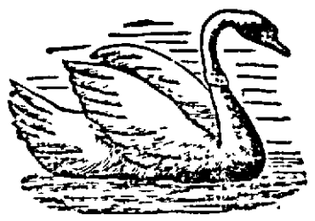

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORT.

The baseball games today and tomorrow will be watched with increased interest. The season has but five more weeks to run and San Francisco is making a desperate struggle to turn Sacramento down from the head of the class, a position the Senators have occupied practically throughout the season.

San Francisco has gone to Sacramento to play the Senators this afternoon and tomorrow and Stockton has come to the coast to again try conclusions with the Oakland aggregation, that has been playing great ball recently. Some sort of a hoodoo seems to have followed Oakland's beloved Dudes through the entire season. When they do win it is at an inopportune time when their success is of no apparent effect on the percentage scale.

The relative standing of the clubs up to today's game is as follows:

Teams.	Games Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Sacramento	64	39	25	.592
San Francisco*	57	30	25	.522
Stockton	64	29	35	.453
Oakland	63	20	29	.435

*This table credits Sacramento with the protested game with Stockton.

The line-up of Oakland and Stockton in today's game at Recreation Park in San Francisco will be as follows:

Stockton—Graham, catcher; Harper or Whalen, pitcher; Streib, first base; Curtney, second base; Moore, third base; Babbitt, shortstop; McCarthy, left field; McGucken, center field; McHale, right field.

Oakland—Mangerina, catcher; Borchers or Moskiman, pitcher; Hutchinson, first base; Arrellanes, second base; Kelly, third base; Francks, short stop; Bowman, left field; Drennan, center field; Held, right field.

The games played last week by the teams of the California Baseball League have resulted like so many of the series played by the evenly matched teams. It was as near an even break as was possible, but the Sacramentos, by losing the odd to the Oaklands, fell down in percentage. But for the bad play of the Oaklands in the game they lost the Sacramentos would have lost all three and the San Franciscos would be the league leaders today.

It was a very narrow escape and it has caused the local enthusiasts to predict that the Sacramentos are on the toboggan and that the San Franciscos will take from them two games by tomorrow night, or at least three out of the five games that the two rivals for the leading position are to play during the coming two weeks.

If the locals take three of the five games they will lead the champions by the narrow margin of ½ per cent, but it will be the lead that the San Franciscos have been striving for for a long time. The Stocktons will present their strongest team, with Graham behind the bat and the new Irish outfield, McCarthy, McGucken and McHale. The Oaklands are going into the present series with the Stocktons determined to beat them and force them down to the tail end position.

Track Athletics.

For the first time in many years on this coast a great handicap field day has been arranged and this afternoon at Tanforan across the bay college, club and school athletes will race and jump. Entries in large numbers have been received from the University of California, Stanford, the Olympic Club, the Young Men's Christian Association and Academy Athletic League, in which Oakland has representatives. Special interest has been displayed by the young sprinters and jumpers in the preparatory schools, as their consistent and devoted training during the past several weeks will attest.

The program of events consists of thirteen in all, including the relay race between teams from schools in the Academic Athletic League. All of the events are handicap except one special event, a 100-yard race, open to all. A special cup will be awarded to the winner of the scratch race, and a very handsome trophy will be awarded to the winning team in the relay race. In all the other events first and second medals will be awarded, and the Pacific Athletic Association will give a special gold medal to each athlete who breaks a Coast record.

These valuable prizes brought a full entry from every source where athletes are developed. Of the 121 entries the Olympic Club has 37, the University of California 29, Stanford University 19, Academic League 27, the Y. M. C. A. of Oakland 5, the Humboldt Evening High School 5, the Y. M. C. A. of Portland, Or., 4, and there are four unattached men among the contestants.

SAN LORENZO.

SAN LORENZO, Sept. 29.—Miss Alice Roberts is visiting friends at Catalina Island.

Mrs. G. Hendricksen of Martinez has been visiting friends here the last week.

Mrs. A. Tychsen is visiting relatives at Crockett.

B. Pinchson has purchased a portion of H. Lundschrieder's place and will soon erect a modern cottage thereon.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Company has a force of men at work on the new steel bridge which is being built over the creek near Cherry station. It will be several months before the work is completed, and it will be a great improvement on the old wooden structure.

Denied By Mr. Foote.

The story published by certain papers of the engagement of Miss Vera Merrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. U. Merrill, to Henry Foote, son of W. W. Foote, the attorney, is characterized by Mr. Foote as entirely without foundation. He declares that he has no thoughts of marrying the young lady referred to and that he is not even acquainted with her.

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Amusements.

Macdonough—"East Lynne."
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Tivoli—"Tannhauser."
Alcazar—"His Japanese Wife
Columbia—"The Magistrate
Orpheum—Vaudeville
Grand Opera House—"Blue Jeans"
California—Grand opera, Wednesday night, September 26

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

Sept. 30—Verein Eintracht of San Francisco, to 11 P. M

SATURDAY.....SEPTEMBER 29, 1900

The dispatches state that the King of Belgium is contemplating laying aside his crown. As the old fellow is a good deal of a gallant, it is possible that he wants to direct attention to the splendid collection of Belgian hares he possesses.

A Democratic convention in Indiana was broken up the other day by a number of urchins who turned bees loose among the delegates. Having the real thing in one's bonnet is by no means as pleasant as the political make-believe variety.

Bryan is furnishing a modern instance of a prophet being without honor in his own country, for the list of prominent Nebraska Democrats who refuse to follow his flag is steadily growing. It will be noticed, by the way, that there are no defections of that kind among the Republicans of Ohio where McKinley hails from.

THE COAL STRIKE FIGURED OUT.

A correspondent of the New York World sums up the coal strike in this mathematical way:

"There are 140,000 miners in the anthracite coal region.

"At an average of $2 a day their wages amount to $280,000 a day.

"The average advance of 12 1-2 per cent in wages, or 25 cents a day, would cost $35,000.

"The coal output is in round numbers 1,000,000 tons a day.

"An increase of $1 a ton costs the consumer $1,000,000 a day.

"The consumer is paying the added million every day, the miners are not getting their $35,000 increase—they are not even getting their wages.

"Who gets the $1,000,000 a day which somebody is getting out of this strike?"

The plain inference is that the coal operators are making enormous profits out of the strike. Whether this be so or not the miners are losing their time and in an economic sense the country is suffering a great loss. If the operators are not making anything out of the situation they are certainly not losing much. The situation as it stands is not a strong argument in favor of strikes as an efficacious remedy for industrial grievances. If the World correspondent states the truth the Pennsylvania strikers are injuring themselves and favoring the mine-owners.

STEVENSON AND IMPERIALISM

Adlai Stevenson, Bryan's running mate, has, in his letter of acceptance of the Populist Vice-Presidential nomination, seen fit to give some of his leader's pet theories a severe body blow. Regardless of the fact that Bryan in his stump speeches is declaring the trusts to be the greatest issue with which the American people ever had to contend, Stevenson refers to it and all the other planks in the Democratic platform as "dust in the balance," and insists that the campaign should be conducted solely upon the basis of imperialism.

It is not surprising that Stevenson has taken such a stand, for his education, training and business associations are not of the nature to bring about socialist denunciations against capital such as Bryan is uttering. Adlai Stevenson is what is known as a "gentleman of the old school," and he was put upon the ticket to mollify the moneyed interests of the East. Having been the political associate of Grover Cleveland, whose stand in favor of the gold standard is not less firm than that of McKinley himself, it was not to be supposed that he would entertain in any way the free silver heresies that still remain the dominating influence in Bryan's politics, and it is possible that he has seized this occasion to let the country thoroughly understand that he is not in harmony with Bryan's ideas on financial and industrial questions. As he had to have some excuse, however, for remaining on the ticket and participating in the campaign, it was natural enough that he should fall back upon the convenient issue of imperialism, and in fact Stevenson may be thoroughly at heart one of those misguided individuals who insist upon looking on the question from the false standpoint occupied by Bryan and his associates.

In the first place, all this talk wherein comparisons are made between the career and downfall of Napoleon and the course being traveled by the United States is such arrant nonsense that it is a criticism upon the intelligence of the public to reply thereto. Every one knows that Napoleon's work and ambitions were centered in the one goal of the glorification of himself, and it is also a matter of common knowledge that no government that rests upon the personality of an individual can last. Oliver Cromwell proved the truth of this long before Napoleon's time, and in fact the Caesars antedated both of them in the matter in a much more marked manner. There is no imperialism about expansion. The Republican party has no desire to send conquering legions throughout the world, nor to attempt by force of arms to pose as the supreme power militant of the universe. Every declaration and every move made by McKinley has proved this, the sole object of the Administration having been to secure the establishment and maintenance of a just government in those countries that circumstances have placed under our control and to make certain that the United States will have commercial supremacy in them in the future. Surely this is a stand to be endorsed, rather than condemned, and despite the frantic efforts of the Democrats to misinterpret the situation so as to secure votes for their tottering cause, election day will prove that the people understand the true inwardness of the situation and are well satisfied with what is being done in their interests.

WHAT BRYAN FORETOLD: WHAT HAPPENED

In a speech delivered at Peoria, Ill., October 23, 1896, William Jennings Bryan said:

"Under the gold standard our gold must go abroad and we must either issue bonds to bring it back or else we must lower the prices of products and bring it back that way. These are the only two ways the treasury can be replenished. If we issue bonds we simply postpone the evil day. We must pay interest on the gold while we have it. If, on the other hand, we lower prices, we drive down the value of our exports below the cost of production and throw upon the producing class the burden of maintaining the gold reserve."

Two days before, at Richmond, Indiana, he said:

"The Republicans are pledged to the present financial system, which means a continued decrease in the volume of the currency."

At Harper's Ferry, in September of the same year, he made this prediction:

"If you vote the Republican ticket you will not be troubled with seeing too much money for the next four years. There is $150,000,000 less money in circulation now than two years ago, and it will still go lower under the present financial system. It means the substituting of bonds upon the people instead of putting money in the pockets of the people."

The facts of the day answer these assertions. Events have proved that Bryan was wrong in every particular. The volume of money was never so great in this country as it is now and the per capita circulation is larger than ever before. Prices and wages are better than when Bryan uttered his dismal prophecies, and the current rates of interest have enormously decreased. Not only has the interest rate lowered, but financial accommodations were never so readily extended as at the present time.

Instead of scarcer money, higher interest rates and lower prices, we have exactly the reverse. Today the bank rate of interest in London and Paris is one-half of one per cent lower than the New York rate. Great Britain and Germany have recently floated national loans in this country and other European nations are looking to the United States for financial accommodations.

Not only that. The volume of our exports has swelled to enormous proportions, with a higher trend of prices and a growing disproportion in imports. That is, our exports per capita increase much faster than our imports per capita. The balance of trade in our favor is the largest in the history of the Republic. This not only proves that Bryan was utterly wrong, but it shows an unexampled condition of national prosperity.

Bryan preached that his policy would produce exactly the reverse of the effects produced by the policy advocated by the Republican party. Does anybody want the exact reverse of the conditions now prevailing? Don't all speak at once, but let every voter ask himself if he wants the present conditions continued or whether he desires something quite different. That's the issue in this campaign.

THE POLITICAL VAUDEVILLE

It has been reserved for Millionaire Clark of Montana, the gentleman who was stripped of the Senatorial toga that he had bought with hard cash, to cap the climax of absurdity in the farce comedy of Democratic politics. He is going to make his campaign in Montana with vaudeville artists and variety shows. He has engaged a small army of show people and shipped them out to Butte for the political season. It is stated that he will soon have half a dozen "combinations" on the road doing red-fire and skirt-dance politics. It will be a ragtime campaign in Montana from now on.

Soubrettes in pink tights are expected to dazzle the eyes of the voters with the beauties of free trade and to kick the bottom out of the full dinner pail argument. There will be song and dance teams, club swingers, cake walkers, vocalists, balladists, contortionists, lightning change artists, impersonators, skirt dancers, equilibrists and refined comedians doing political stunts to illustrate the horrors of "imperialism" and the blessings of free silver, and the whole State will be profusely "papered" in the loudest colors and the most glowing adjectives known to the showman's art. Possibly a few albinos and an educated hog or two may be added to the other "attractions" of Clark's greatest political show on earth.

After all, this is quite appropriate to the Bryanite campaign in general and to Clark's candidacy in particular. The whole thing smells of sawdust and is rank with mummery. It is a comedy of masks and faces and intellectual distortion. There is nothing genuine about it except the painted canvas, the stage properties and the appetites of the performers for pick and sugar. It is tawdry, cheap, unreal, a fantastic aggregation of mock issues and sham heroics, of rant, fustian, bathos and "spieling."

How old Phineas Barnum would have enjoyed this campaign. His spirit must commune nightly with the Democratic managers. At last the woolly horse and the wild man of Borneo have been outdone, and his array of padded fat men, bearded women and giants on stilts have been outclassed and eclipsed by the mimic marvels of humbug politics. Barnum ought to be manager of the Democratic campaign for the Democracy in it is a sham and a travesty on the real article. The principles are spurious, the issues burnt cork and gags and the chief performers intellectual dancing dervishes drawn from political sideshows. The freaks have taken possession of the ring and the clown is wielding the ringmaster's whip. Never was there such a mad merry-go-round in all the whirl of politics.

Millionaire Clark has simply put in literal practice the allegory of the Bryanite campaign. It is Falstaff fighting over again the imaginary battle of Gadshill.

The hope the Democrats have been nursing that Grover Cleveland might be induced to come out with some sort of an endorsement for Bryan has at last been absolutely dissipated. To a special correspondent of the Philadelphia Times, supposed to be none other than Editor McClure himself, Mr. Cleveland stated that under no circumstances would he express a preference regarding the Presidential candidates. "I do not intend to make any declaration," said he, "and I do not wish that the American people should be influenced by my action." Further he stated that this conclusion was final. There is small comfort in this for the Democrats. Did Cleveland really favor Bryan he would scarcely have any scruple in saying so, for Bryan is the accredited candidate of his party. His silence must be taken as a disapproval of Bryan's candidacy.

Hobson reached Washington just in time to discover that he could take his choice on the old terms. There was no promotion for him.

Democrats are putting sauerkraut on the bill of fare at their barbecues in the hope of catching the German vote.

David B. Hill labored just hard enough in the New York Convention to show that he was not a mountain.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

The annual conventions of the National Municipal League are always productive of much interest to those engaged in civic affairs, and the gathering that met last week at Milwaukee is in this regard fully on a par with its predecessors.

Among the notable subjects upon which papers were read and a lively general discussion is ensuing was as to the commercial spirit that is evidenced in political life and the avenues for corruption that are opened in that way.

Some of the criticisms advanced appear unduly harsh. For example, it was stated that unless a man had independent means he could not afford to take municipal office, the inference being that he either became dishonest, or else that he was of poor caliber and not competent from a business standpoint. It would be hard for citizens to accept such conditions if they really existed. To have a dishonest man in control of their affairs would mean placing their property in the hands of an individual whose object was palpably to loot it, while an incompetent would be about as bad, for advantage would be taken of his administration by those elements that are ever seeking to despoil the public purse.

Fortunately, such a deplorable condition does not have to be met except in remote cases. While it is true that the salaries attached to the principal positions in municipal life are comparatively small as measured by those obtained in the commercial world when similar responsibilities are demanded, at the same time they are fairly liberal and assure a comfortable livelihood. But it is not the salary alone that attracts the man. If it were, then the dangers referred to would be inevitable, for temptations in public life are great and it takes a man above the ordinary caliber to withstand them. Where the main attraction exists, and where the principal salvation for the people lies is in the vent for ambition that is found in a civic career. Some men who are looking far ahead, and who have unbounded confidence in their own ability, see in a local position a stepping stone to State and even national greatness, and in this desire to make a record and go to the front the people's interests are thoroughly subserved, and more energy is thrown into the municipal work than would be the case if the individual were getting three times the salary in a commercial position. Even those who narrow the circle of their hopes to their immediate surroundings are imbued with the same spirit, for to hold a public office means being a prominent man in the community, with its attendant honors and distinctions.

The evil portrayed at the Milwaukee gathering is, therefore, not as overshadowing as it was painted. Cities like New York which are dominated by organizations such as Tammany that do not attempt to disguise their introduction of personal money making in politics may perhaps suffer that way, but as a rule the American municipality is well governed. The fine distinctions and strictly moral principles of some of the old world methods do not perhaps always obtain, but judging from the standpoint of results there is little occasion to complain. Of course, there is plenty of room for reform and we should always be seeking to improve matters, but at the same time we do not propose to proclaim to the world that our system of municipal government is rotten and corrupt, for it is not.

A SHIPPING REVIVAL.

The efforts to induce a boom in shipbuilding on the Pacific Coast have not been in vain. When, by our acquisition of the Hawaiian Islands and our expansion in Guam and the Philippines it became apparent that vast trading possibilities lay within our reach, the national administration, as well as local commercial organizations pointed out the opportunities that awaited shipbuilders if they took early advantage of the situation. Then came the rushes to the Arctic gold fields, the huge demands of the Government transport service, and the search for supply ships by foreign powers seeking to establish early communications with Chinese waters, all of which not only fulfilled the prophecy of those who had predicted a big boom in shipping interests, but left the builders at their wits' ends to furnish boats fast enough.

That the industry is thoroughly stimulated now is proved by statistics that have just become available. In the past two years Pacific Coast yards have turned out 75 new ships representing a total tonnage of 48,701. Of these, 45 are schooners, 5 barkentines, 1 barge and 24 steamers. A good feature of the showing, too, is that there is no very large ship in the list to make the average tonnage small, but, on the contrary, every boat is of the most serviceable kind for the carrying trade, the schooners ranging in tonnage from about 400 to 600, while only six of the twenty-four steamers are of more than one thousand tons.

The benefits we will derive from this shipping development are incalculable. In the first place, the large sums we have been paying foreign owners to move our crops and manufactures will be kept in our own pockets and will tend to our own prosperity rather than that of others. All-important, too, is the fact that the more facilities provided for handling the commerce that comes to us from over the sea the more speedy will be the development of the enormous trade that lies to our west. The business we have so far been receiving from the Orient and South American countries is a small percentage of what awaits us there, and with the opening up of new markets for our products and wares, a pronounced beneficial effect must perforce follow in both our agricultural and manufacturing circles. Then there must be considered the general advantages that follow an increased marine trade—the additional men employed around the docks, the demand for sailors, the boom in railroads with its attendant hiring of more men in the various branches of that business, the money put in circulation through the extensive operation of shipbuilding plants, and so on, the whole combining to make the shipping industry as important as any we can possess. Altogether, therefore, we have good occasion to rejoice both at what has been accomplished and the excellent prospects of the immediate future.

The dedication of a stable at Burlingame last night by means of a swell ball and fashionable reception is another evidences of the odd freaks society indulges in once in a while. The "bridle chamber," the troughs the horses are to drink from and the feed-boxes seem, however, to have aroused a momentary interest among the blase members of San Francisco's four hundred.

A telegraphic dispatch says the wreck of the Maine in Havana harbor is to be moved and that in so doing the "mystery" of the ship's destruction will probably be solved. There is no mystery about the destruction of the Maine. She was blown up by a Spanish torpedo set off with malicious intent. It was that treacherous deed that really brought on the war with Spain.

Although Russia still insists that all she is looking for is peace, the Czar's troops continue to slaughter the Chinese in the northern provinces. Judging by her actions it is certainly not "piece" she wants, but all.

The political smelters up Idaho way seem unable to bring about fusion. It is natural that it should prove a hard task to harmonize parties that have been stabbing each other in the back for the past four years.

Sacramento generously donated $4,000 to the Galveston flood fund. They can appreciate at the capital what the disaster meant, for they have a little in that line themselves every year.

Senator Hanna's statement that what is called "imperialism" is simply a Democratic name for commercial expansion is both felicitous and accurately descriptive.

WHAT THE CENSUS SHOWS.

Now that the census returns are approaching completion with the exception of the detailed statistical information as to nativity, age and so forth, it is timely to consider what of general value is conveyed to us by the reports. The determination of population is naturally a big factor in the commercial world both as regards the inauguration of new enterprises and the development of those already existing, and especially so as regards the West, which was once regarded as a land of "magnificent distances," but which, through the influx of settlers and local growth, is fast taking on the appearance of the older and well-peopled States.

That the West will show wondrous progress in the past ten years as regards population and increased resources is beyond question, for although the disappointment that is rife throughout the country as to the showing of the large cities is also felt here, there will be no occasion to complain when the totals are made up, for the people are here all right and the fact that they are living in the suburbs instead of in the cities proper is a gain rather than a detriment. When it is remembered that the trolley-car only came into general use during the past decade and that owing to its rapid service it is now possible to live half a dozen miles out of town and yet reach the business center in a little over thirty minutes, it is not surprising that city boundaries have failed to hem in all those engaged in business life. This tends to increase surrounding land values and open up large suburban tracts in a manner that ensures the health of the community, for there is no occasion to crowd into tenement houses and narrow, malodorous streets when pure air can be obtained in a little home well out on one of the street car lines, the cost of which, including daily carfares, is less than residence on property valuable for business purposes would be.

The country, therefore, is growing in a manner that means health and strength for its inhabitants, for when the statistics show, as this last census does, that two-thirds of the entire population live in hamlets or on farms, our stability as a people is assured. Our history has proved, too, that men from the farm or the village have dominated the public affairs of the Nation, so with city and country so closely linked together our advancement is not a class one, but represents every integral part of our existence.

A FARCICAL PROCEEDING.

The Democrats did a rather silly piece of business when they nominated a man for the State Board of Equalization when there was no vacancy. Twice has the Supreme Court of this State held that an appointment to a State office made vacant by the death of the incumbent holds till the next general election, at which such officer would be voted for in the regular course of events. J. G. Edwards died shortly after he was elected a member of the State Board of Equalization, and Governor Gage appointed L. A. Brown to succeed him. Under the ruling of the Supreme Court Mr. Brown will hold the office till January, 1903. Many years ago Governor Irwin appointed W. B. C. Brown Controller after the death of Mandeville. At the succeeding election the Republicans elected their candidate for Controller, but the Supreme Court held that Brown was appointed to fill the entire unexpired term. A more recent instance was the appointment of Jeter by Governor Budd to be Lieutenant-Governor on the death of Millard. Again the Supreme Court affirmed the rule laid down in the Brown case.

Governor Gage could only follow the decisions of the Supreme Court in issuing his election proclamation. There is no vacancy in the Board of Equalization, and it would be a ridiculous piece of child's play for him to call for an election with no office to fill. It is difficult to understand why the Democrats made such a foolish nomination. Surely they must have known that they were only going through a farce.

The spectacle of the Examiner and Call each fighting the bosses within their respective parties is proof that the attacks are not dictated by partisan bias. It not infrequently occurs that bossism only becomes objectionable when it appears in the opposing party. However, all is not bossism that is so labeled.

Congressman Kahn has enlisted the Peddlers' Union in his behalf across the bay. In saying that it is all over but the shouting as far as they are concerned there is much more meant than is ordinarily conveyed by the expression, for that particular climax is about the principal feature of their support.

The Kansas City Star says Bryan will deliver twenty-six speeches in Kansas. Such inaccuracy of statement from a source usually so exact is discouraging. Bryan will deliver his speech twenty-six times in Kansas. The difference is rather large.

Grover Cleveland shows no inclination to take that seat left ostentatiously vacant for him on the Bryan band-wagon. Doubtless he has a jarring recollection of a certain convention held in Chicago some time during the year of our Lord 1896.

The Utah Democrats have got so used to passing out political gold bricks that they cannot refrain from handing them to each other. Judge Powers handed his back with thanks, but the bunco game will go merrily on.

The prayers of the shirt waist men seem to have been answered. It would have been hard luck for them if their investment had had no other opportunity than that afforded by the torrid spell of a week ago.

A Chicago policeman has been dismissed from the force for pawning his pistol. Recent occurrences hereabouts indicate that a policeman may be safer to be at large if his pistol be in a pawnshop.

Nobody has ventured to point out any distinct advantage that would accrue from Bryan's election. At a glance a dozen grave disadvantages suggest themselves. Why leave the better to take the worse?

The efforts of the Democratic campaign managers to run Senator Hanna are highly humorous. They are very much the same experience that the cowboy had who lassoed the grizzly bear.

It may be that time is money, but it generally happens that the man who has the most time to spare has the smallest amount of change to spend.

A Chicago paper says the anthracite miners are not getting a square deal. If reports are true some of them do not get a square meal.

Mr. Towne seems to have found Governor Roosevelt's trail too cold to follow. At any rate, he appears to have lost it.

The man who wants but little here below often finds great difficulty in getting it—especially if it is in the form of a loan.

Secretary Gage's last shot seems to have silenced Carl Schurz completely.

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The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church bid farewell last night to Rev. Robert F. Coyle who had been the pastor for the past ten years. Not only did the members of the church gather to express their appreciation of the work the divine had accomplished in their midst but many prominent people of the city from all walks of life—the clergy with whom Dr. Coyle had co-operated, joined in expressing regret that he had been called to other fields and emphasizing the hope that success and good fortune might attend his future paths.

In no semi-public affair ever held in Oakland was there such a spontaneous outburst of good feeling as was manifest last night at the farewell reception tendered the well known minister. It was an evidence of the high esteem in which he is held by his parishioners and the community generally and indicated the universal regret at his departure.

The reception was held in the parlors of the church over which he has presided for so many years. It was strictly an informal affair. It took on the air more of a great family gathering than of a meeting of a church congregation to bid farewell to its pastor. In the vast number who went there to shake Dr. Coyle's hand for the last time and wish him God-speed there were not a few whose eyes moistened with tears at the thought of the parting. The reverend gentleman had won a warm place in the hearts of all with whom he became on terms of intimacy.

The Pastor's Aid Society of the church had taken charge of decorating the parlors and arranging other details of the reception. In the decorations they displayed an artistic taste that hardly could be surpassed. The choicest pansies from Oakland's gardens were there in profusion. Great bouquets of roses and cut flowers were everywhere and long strings of evergreens and smilax were festooned along the walls and from the ceilings to the sides. The big room was literally converted into an immense floral bower, through which mingled the most prominent people in Oakland's religious, social and business life. Among the laurels to whom credit is due for this work are Mrs. E. Foerker, Mrs. W. T. Veitch, Mrs. E. A. Goode, Mrs. C. W. Ames, Mrs. W. A. Dow, Mrs. J. Cal Ewing.

There were many brief speeches, but they were all of the same tenor—regret at Dr. Coyle's departure expressions of hope that success and happiness would attend him in his new field of usefulness and congratulations for the good he had accomplished while a resident of Oakland.

D. Edward Collins, one of the church trustees, was master of ceremonies. He was assisted by Rev. J. K. McLean, Rev. C. R. Brown of the First Congregational Church, Mayor Snow and Noel H. Jacks, secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

The Reception Committee was composed of the trustees and elders of the church, consisting of W. H. Knight, W. H. Quinn, H. K. Belden, Alex. Young, W. W. Worden, C. W. Carmany, James P. Taylor, Dr. Jonas C. Raymond, George D. Gray, William F. Curtis, Francis S. Page, Alexander Martin, J. Thornton Gardiner, Theodore C. Bee, William J. Raymond, Dr. G. E. Brinkerhoff, Homer A. Craig, Marion W. Upton, Charles A. Bailey, Willis B. Fry, C. W. Armes, Irvin Ayres, Wales L. Palmer.

The crowd began to gather as early as 7 o'clock, and there was a steady stream of people passing into the church parlors from that time on until long after the curfew rang. Dr. Coyle and the members of his family were near the front entrance to the parlors and were surrounded continually by a throng who eagerly sought to grasp their hands and express their good wishes.

Throughout the evening a string orchestra from San Francisco, hidden behind a bower of potted palms, rendered numerous excellent musical selections.

When the church members and the guests had almost exhausted the pastor with their ardent handshaking, D. Edward Collins stepped forward, and as the spokesman of the congregation, formally bade farewell to Dr. Coyle. He said:

"For nearly ten years this large congregation has enjoyed pastoral relationship with Rev. Robert F. Coyle, and the severing of such relationship naturally begets the desire to give evidence of our love and admiration for the man. To all the kind words which have already been said must be added the testimony of your own people. To them you have especially held up the cross of Christ by life as well as by sermon. You have called them to greater spiritual usefulness. By your scholarship, by your eloquence, and above all, by the passion-stirring fulness of your life you have left your impress upon Presbyterianism on the Pacific Coast.

"You are still a member of the great Church of Christ, of God, and in that your usefulness may be greatly increased in the coming years. Heretofore we have sent you forth with God's blessing and awaited your return with solicitude, but tonight we must part with a farewell.

"The blank which you leave not only in this church but on this coast will not readily be filled, but as members of the Church of God we feel that our loss will be another's gain. May God bless you and yours, may your usefulness expand with the years; may happiness be vouchsafed to your household, and may your life and teaching prove a continual blessing to mankind. Godspeed."

Dr. Coyle was visibly affected by the remarks of Mr. Collins, which were warmly re-echoed by Dr. McLean, Dr. Brown and Mayor Snow.

The Mayor said that he felt that he spoke not as an individual but as a representative of the whole people of Oakland.

"I want you to feel," said the Mayor, "that all Oakland is your friend; that every citizen of this city considers himself your neighbor, and that those who know you best love you most. Oakland will miss you. We know that our loss will be Denver's gain. Our only hope is that you may make as many friends there and meet with as much success as you have while you have been among us."

Dr. J. K. McLean followed and said in part:

"This is the fifth time that I have known you to bid farewell to your pastor and during that time I am sure that no man has left you who was more worthy of your high regard than Rev. R. F. Coyle. Since his coming to this city I have felt that there was no need to worry about the First Presbyterian church, for it was in good hands, and I can truly say that during the nine years of his pastorate I have never known him to strike a false note. He has been a leader not only to his parishioners but to the citizens of the entire community, and Sabbath by Sabbath he has given to you his best efforts. Remember the words that this strong man has spoken to you."

Dr. C. R. Brown stated that at a recent meeting of the Ministerial Association of Oakland a committee consisting of Rev. E. R. Dille, Rev. C. R. Brown, Rev. C. Hobart and William Kelly was appointed to prepare resolutions expressing the regret of the organization at the severance of the fraternal ties with which Dr. Coyle has been affiliated with the union. He read the following resolutions:

REGRETS.

"Whereas, The Rev. R. F. Coyle, D. D., has received and accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Denver, Colorado; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the Ministerial Association of Oakland, California, deeply regrets the departure from its midst of one who has so long been identified with it and who has been foremost in every good word and work. That the presence of Dr. Coyle at the meetings of the Association was always helpful and his utterances timely and inspiring. That our best wishes for a successful pastorate and wider scope of usefulness will follow Dr. Coyle to his new field of labor, and that we commend our brother and his family to the loving care of the God of the church.

"E. R. DILLE,
"C. H. HOBART,
"C. R. BROWN,
"President.
"WM. KELLY,
"Secretary."

Judge F. B. Ogden endorsed all the pleasant things that had been said of Dr. Coyle.

Similar expressions were made by members of the church, and when Dr. Coyle was called upon to respond his emotions completely overcame him and for a few moments he could not command words to give expression to his thoughts and his feelings of gratitude.

"I shall always cherish my stay among you," he said, "as one of the ever green oasis in the desert of my recollections. I leave you with sincere feelings of regret. In parting I must sever ties of friendship which I cherish dearly. No matter where fate may cast me, or the will of God direct me, my happiest thoughts will always be of Oakland and her people, of this church and of those who worship here."

During the early part of the evening and after the informal speechmaking the Pastor's Aid Society served light refreshments to the throng of guests. The reception lasted until nearly midnight.

Dr. Coyle and his family will leave next Tuesday morning for Denver, Colorado, where the divine will assume charge of the Central Presbyterian Church, one of the largest and most influential churches of the middle West.

Among those who attended the reception were:

Mayor Snow, Rev. J. K. McLean, Rev. C. R. Brown, Noel H. Jacks, A. C. Henry,

Mr. and Mrs. William Abel, Mrs. L. C. Ackerman, Mrs. E. H. Adams, Miss Clara Alnsworth, Mrs. Cathe ine Allen, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allison, Mrs. M. E. Ames, Mrs. M. A. Anderson, D. J. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Armes, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bailey, Mrs. M. V. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Barstow, Miss E. J. Bates, Mrs. Josephine Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bee, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beebe, H. W. Behrend, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Belden, Dr. R. K. Belden, Miss E. Bergen, Miss A. Blackwood, Mrs. A. Blair, Mrs. C. C. Blathen, Mrs. L. L. Blood, A. P. Brayton, Mrs. M. J. Brayton, Dr. G. E. Brinckerhoff, G. W. Brock, Miss Bromley, Dr. Buckland, Miss A. M. Calvin, J. A. Carleton, Miss Chestnut, Mrs. J. A. Chestnut, Mrs. A. M. Clisby, Miss Clisby, Mrs. Cora Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. D. Edward Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Colquhoun, Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Coyle, Miss Anna Coyle, Miss Mabel Coyle, Roy Coyle, Miss Cramer, Mrs. Dalziel, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dodge, Mrs. W. A. Dow, Mrs. Annie Elliott, Miss Elliott, Mrs. J. Cal Ewing, Mrs. L. F. Farrell, Miss Etta Farrell, the Misses Fortin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Friend, Mr. Fortman, Mrs. F. S. Gelwicks, Mrs. S. Getchell, Miss Elmira Getchell, Dr. R. E. Gibson, Mrs. and Miss Goodfellow, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Henry, J. A. Hillegas, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. F. Kerr, Miss Anna Kerr, Archie Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk, D. N. Knowles, E. E. Laymance, N. W. Leitch, Mrs. Sarah Leitch, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Mead, Miss Mead, S. Newsom, Mrs. Emma Nye, Mrs. I. B. Ott, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Raymond, Miss M. Raymond, Dr. J. M. Selfridge, Mrs. N. D. Taylor, Miss Mary Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Upton, Louis Upton, Mrs. M. J. Veitch, W. P. Wheeler, Misses Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Willard, Miss Sarah Willard, J. M. Costigan, Hugh Craig, Mrs. Hamlin, S. T. Nye, W. F. Pierce, J. P. Taylor, Alexander Young, Rev. James McDonald, Mrs. D. M. Tomblin, H. P. Van Kirk, Mrs. E. E. Page, Mrs. Charles Dickman, Miss de Fremery, J. E. Dean, W. F. Curtis, Miss Mabel Gray, Miss Maud Hunt, Miss Kate Smith, W. H. Fry, J. W. Heimke, A. M. Sutherland, John Lynas, Howard Rist, Mrs. C. E. McClure, Mrs. Dr. Rowell, Miss Augusta Rose, Miss Harriett Hill, Miss Amy Corder, Mrs. H. C. Morris, Miss Hazel Peers, Miss Grace Pinney, Miss Louise Belden, Miss Julia Fraser, Miss Mollie Rust, Mrs. B. Henderson, Mrs. Maud Mann.

An Old Man Missing.

Manuel Silvera, father-in-law of F. Machado of Twenty-first and Linden streets, wandered away from his home yesterday afternoon and it is feared by his relatives that he has taken his own life. He is a very old man and, for some months, has shown signs of a failing mind.

Heeseman's Removal Sale opens Monday morning, Oct. 1st, at 9 a. m.

N W COMMUNITIES.

Prediction of Dr. Ogborne.

"There is no question in my mind but that whole communities who now suffer from the bad effects of coffee would be revolutionized if they knew of the actual facts regarding the use of coffee and the help that could be obtained from the use of Postum Cereal Food Coffee. In my own case coffee produced dizziness, heart palpitation and sallowness of complexion. When I abandoned the ordinary coffee and took up Postum the difficulties were removed." Rev. W. N. Ogborne, Hammonton, N. J.

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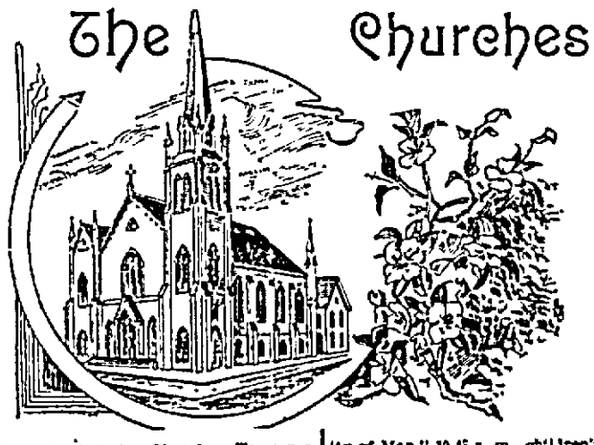
The Churches



First Presbyterian Church — Tomorrow will be the closing day of Dr. Coyle's pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church. For almost ten years he has preached the Gospel with fidelity and power. His ministry has been recognized in the city as one of the potent forces that work for righteousness. He has won a warm place in the hearts of the people who have been edified by his preaching and comforted and cheered by his work among them as a kind and sympathetic pastor. It is with great reluctance and sincere sorrow they bid him farewell.

East Oakland Church of Christ, Scientist, Washington Hall—Christian Science Bible lesson, 11 a. m., subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school for children at the same hour. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

First Congregational Church — Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, "The Completion of Duty." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock, "The Stagnant People." Beginning this Sunday evening the pastor will preach a series of seven sermons on "The Social Teaching of the Prophets." The topics will be as follows: 1st, "The Singular People"—Zephaniah. 2d, "Prosperity and Religion"—Joel. 3d, "The Reign of Law"—Amos. 4th, "The Sin Against Love"—Hosea. 5th, "The Friend of the Poor"—Micah. 6th, "The Religion of the Unchurched"—Malachi. 7th, "The Streets of a Redeemed City"—Zachariah.

First Presbyterian—Services tomorrow at Dr. Coyle's church will be as follows: 11 a. m., subject, "A Parting Word of Counsel;" 7:30 p. m., "Finally, Behaleem." Dr. Coyle will preach. There will be special music.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—J. H. Theiss, pastor. Services, with communion, at 10 a. m., subject, "Faintness in Faith." Evening service in East Oakland at 7:45 p. m.

Pilgrim Church—Raymond C. Brooks, pastor. 11 a. m., a sermon to the children by the pastor; 7:30 p. m., "Christian Expostulation."

Asbury M. E. Church South, Fifteenth and Clay streets—Rev. J. C. Wooten, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Mr. Needham, subject, "Personal Consecration." The pastor will preach at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Christ Dwelling In Us." Epworth League meeting at 6:45 p. m.

Market Street Congregational Church—Rev. Wm. H. Scudder preaches at 11 a. m. Baptism of children, evening service, 7:30, subject, "Secret Disciples." Sunday school, 12:30 p. m. Endeavor Society, 6:30 p. m.

Chester Street Methodist Church—Rev. M. H. Alexander, pastor. At 11 a. m., "Joy in Suffering." At 7:30 p. m., "A Rational Life."

First Christian Church—Benjamin Fay Mills, minister. At 10:45 Mr. Mills will preach a special sermon on "The Divinity of Man." 10:45 a. m., children's church in the parish house. 12:30 p. m., the college of religion and ethics classes in Robert Browning led by Prof. Lovejoy, in Emerson, led by Mrs. Miller and for young people of all ages led by competent teachers. 7:45 p. m., address by Hon. W. R. Davis on "The Moral Claims of the Republican Party." Seats free.

Fruitvale Congregational Chapel — Rev. H. B. Mowbray, pastor—At 11 a. m., "A Drawing Congregation." At 7:30 p. m., "The Kingdom of Heaven."

Ward Memorial Congregational Church—Rev. Wm. E. Golding, pastor. At 11 a. m., "Unnamed Hewers." Sunday school at 12:30. Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m. Vesper service.

"Watchers' Meeting" — Mrs. M. C. Jones of the California Christian Alliance will preach at Adelphia Hall, 966 Ninth street, Sunday at 3 p. m. Subject, "The Twenty-second Chapter of Revelations."

Union Street Presbyterian Church—Morning, "Blessing and Being Blessed." Evening, "Christ and Christian Duty," in song. Dwight E. Potter, pastor.

Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church—E. R. Bennett, pastor. Morning, "The Glorious Gospel." Evening, "The Life Hereafter."

First United Presbyterian Church, corner Eighteenth and Castro—Rev. J. C. Hanley of Fresno will preach morning and evening. Sabbath school immediately after service. Christian Endeavor, 6:15 p. m.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—Morning, "Winning Souls." Sermon by the pastor. Evening, H. J. McCoy, the general secretary of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A., will speak on "Young Men and the Extension of Christ's Kingdom." Everyone is invited to hear this interesting speaker.

Fourth Congregational Church, Thirty-fourth and Adeline streets—Rev. Alfred Bayley, pastor. 11 a. m., "What's the Benefit of Doing Good?" 7:30 p. m., "John Wesley, the Apostle to the Poor."

"Will the Heathen Be Saved?" is the subject of a sermon by Mr. Thomas Wilson, editor of "The Last Days," on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Y. M. C. A. Hall, entrance on Clay near Twelfth street. No evening service.

J. D. McDonald, evangelist, will preach in Gospel Hall, 1061 Market street, at 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Missing Link." All are cordially invited.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—At Loring Hall, Sunday at 11 a. m., subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Evening service, 7:45 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints holds services every Sunday at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the California Hall, 1015 Clay street. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Subject for evening, "The Kingdom of God." All are invited. No Collection.

First Free Baptist Church—Twenty-first street, between San Pablo avenue and Brush street—Rev. M. H. Babcock, pastor. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Revival Suggestions." Evening, "Heart to Heart With the Young." Sunday school, 12:15 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Oak Chapel, Congregational—Rev. Alfred W. Hare, pastor—11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, subject, "If Christ Be Not Divine." At 7:45 the pastor will speak on the subject, "Greater Than a King." Special music by Mr. Edmund Owens and the pastor.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Sixteenth and Magnolia streets. Sunday School, 1 p. m. Preaching at 2 p. m. by Elder Phillips, 8 p. m. by Elder Price.

Oakland Psychical Society, Woodmen Hall, 521 Twelfth street. Sunday, September 30th, Mrs. R. S. Lillie will occupy the platform at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Ten minute talks. At 8 p. m. Mrs. Annie Gillespie will deliver an address, subject, "Revising the Creeds." Professor Oscar Lienau, lyric tenor.

ALAMEDA TRUSTEES STAND BY M'RAE.

The Police Committee of the Alameda Board of City Trustees will back up Patrolman McRae in his defense of the murder charge for the killing of Myron Brown. The committee is composed of Trustees George R. Miller and Joseph E. Fordorer. The committee holds that McRae got into the present trouble while in discharge of his duties as a police officer.

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Hamburger and Pork Sausage Meats 2 lbs for	25c
Pork Chops and Pork Roast	12c
Corned Beef	5c
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Realm of Society

Weddings Receptions Luncheons

The Meddler.

Not a very merry week—just a few informal things but promises of plenty of things ahead, for cards are out bearing the names of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Taft and Miss Taft for at homes on the second, third and fourth Thursdays in October, and that means some delightful times for everybody, for the Tafts are the soul of hospitality and Miss Taft has made a decided hit since her home-coming She was always a delightful girl, and she has developed into a young woman, charmingly at ease, unaffected and delightful Her mother and father must be very proud of her.

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Mrs. H. M. A. Miller gave an informal luncheon yesterday, and on Wednesday Mrs. Gus Macdonald will give a large tea in honor of Mrs Andrew Stone, formerly Miss Havemeyer. The Stones and Mrs. Tucker recently returned from the East, where Mrs. Tucker has been spending the summer since the marriage of her niece, who seems quite as dear to her as a daughter.

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The Williams-Cherington wedding was a pretty one, with one or two novel arrangements, so difficult to attain when every ingenuity has been exhausted in the way of bridal decorations and entertainment. The bride and her maid-of-honor looked very pretty, the latter being dressed in green crepe de chine, prettily contrasted and lit up with pink carnations. The decorations spoke distinctly of autumn—changing leaves, bright berries and brilliant creepers being used, while the bride and groom stood on a red damask rug A pretty idea was the use of long ropes of illusion wound with strands of smilax. These extended through the rooms making a path down which the bride walked. The ends of these garlanded streamers were held by the two ushers and, at intervals, by lady friends, both married and single, of the bride. And this reminds me—so many society writers say that Mrs. — was maid of honor at some wedding A married woman cannot be a "maid" of honor "Matron of honor" is the only proper term to use in such cases.

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The Staples-Haley wedding was a pretty one and will be followed early in October by the marriage of Miss Amy White, the maid of honor, to George Williamson. Mrs Foresters wedding is announced for next week, and the crop of autumn weddings is well under way.

The swellest of them all, of course, was the country wedding of Miss Hopkins to Mr. Taylor, which took place at Menlo on Wednesday. The bride, a most stately young woman, slender to the point of gauntness, made a most ethereal-looking bride The tennis court was canopied and lavishly decorated for the wedding breakfast, and the bridesmaidens were as swell as swell could be, all being young women of San Francisco's most exclusive circles and all exquisitely gowned. Each dress was a modiste's triumph The most interesting thing about this wedding was the announcement of the engagement of the bride's younger and handsomer sister, Miss Edna to a brother of the groom, so there will be another Hopkins-Taylor wedding The youngest and prettiest of the girls, Miss Georgia, is still unpromised A certain young man of Oakland the only unmarried son in a prominent and wealthy family, has been paying her marked attention As yet, no announcement has been made, but I should not be surprised to hear of it at any time. Georgia Hopkins looks like Maxine Elliott, though without the buxomness of that lady of the stage.

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The engagement of Mardie Hutchinson is considerable of a surprise She is to marry one of the numerous Ransome boys The eldest brother of her husband-to-be, Leslie, married a Miss Rock, a geologist. The second brother married Miss Walker of East Oakland and has since died, and the third boy married Miss Coit of Oakland. The hero of the present engagement is the fourth brother and must be quite youthful Miss Martha Hutchinson is the elder of the two daughters, her younger sister, Belle, having married Will Pringle; the Pringles and Ransomes were always inseparable. The Ransomes used to live on the hill with the Moores and Pringles, and in the minds of the old East Oakland set were inseparable. The Ransomes now reside in New York.

The announcement of the engagement was made at a tea given by Mrs. Hutchinson. She was assisted in receiving by Miss Hutchinson and Mrs. Pringle.

Mrs. Frank Wilson gave a pretty dinner at her Berkeley home last night—almost the first dinner of any size in Berkeley this season.

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Many Oaklanders were present at the sad funeral of Mrs Garrett McEnerney on Friday. She had many warm friends on this side of the bay, where she was widely known and beloved. In the crowd the universal comment was, "She was so very lovable" During the short years of her residence here she had endeared herself to a great many, and the pretty home on Shrader street, of which she was the inspiration, seems very desolate now. Among the Oaklanders at house and church who came to look for the last time at the still features were Mr. and Mrs W. B. English, Judge and Miss Juliet Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Goodfellow (Mrs. Goodfellow gave Mrs McEnerney a luncheon when she was a bride), Mrs Edward H. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs W. R Wheeler, Miss Blanche Partington, Frank Moffitt.

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The clubs are in full swing again. Miss Sadie American, who has been invited to address almost every organization of women on all sides of the bay, will be the principal speaker this afternoon at the quarterly meeting of the Colegiate Alumnae at Sorosis Hall on the other side of the bay. She has, since coming from Chicago, addressed the Stanford students, and will deliver two talks before the San Francisco Normal School She is a very able speaker. Her trip to Portland was most successful and the branches she has founded of the Organization of Jewish women are already in a most flourishing condition.

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Among the interesting new readers developed by the clubs this season is Miss Jean Durell of Chicago Miss Durell is really the best dialect reader which it has been my lot to hear Usually I am not at all fond of such things, but she is really out of the ordinary and clever. She has beautiful eyes and teeth and looks French or Creole or some interesting thing She reads with great intelligence and power and is an interesting elocutionist, because she is natural. She read for the California Club this week and is shortly booked for Ebell.

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The luncheon given by the Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian Church for the benefit of the Galveston sufferers was most successful and over $100 was cleared for those who survived the terrible flood The Red Cross is exceedingly active in the matter, and Oakland's contribution to the sufferers will be a substantial one.

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The Woman's Alliance will also give an afternoon tea and a reception to Miss Easton president of the Woman's Alliance of the Pacific Coast The event is set for next Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Curtiss and Miss Hazel Curtiss are giving a succession of house parties at Lockley Hall the most beautiful place in Belvedere which they have taken for the two autumn months The house is very large and is at the extreme end of the island, where the view is at its loveliest Among those entertained last week were Miss Grace Gillespie of Winters Mr. and Mrs R. C Craft, Miss Mabel Craft, Mr and Mrs John Russ, Mr. and Mrs Charles D Pierce, Mr and Mrs Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd Mrs Todd was formerly Miss Gussie Woodall of Oakland. Both she and her husband were graduates of the State University of the class of '93. Mr Todd held an editorial position on the Chicago Tribune and is one of the very successful young newspaper men, for he is but thirty. He has returned to California for the benefit of his health, which is not good in the Windy City.

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Gordon Grant, formerly of Highland Park, has returned from South Africa, where he did some notable work in illustration for Harper's Weekly and Leslie's. He is now working for the weeklies and New York magazines He is one of the coming illustrators.

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Mrs. W R. Wheeler leaves tomorrow night for Burlington, Vermont She is hurrying to the bedside of her sister, Mrs Graves of Chicago, who is seriously ill. Mrs Wheeler expects to spend two months in the Eastern States. During her absence Mr. Wheeler will live at the Pleasanton, and the Wheeler house at 1215 Jones street, so charmingly furnished with rare old mahogany, will be occupied by Mrs. and Mrs. John Merrill Jr. The Merrills were recently wedded and have just returned from their New York honeymoon trip. They will reside in the Wheeler house for six months. Mrs. Merrill was formerly Miss Olive Snider of Berkeley.

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Many Oaklanders were intensely interested in the concert given by Miss Rose Adler (Relda) last week at Sherman Clay Hall. The concert was a social and financial success, the hall being crowded with wealthy and fashionable as well as musical people. Miss Adler sings magnificently and has a voice which bids fair to rival Melba's, and is already sweeter and fuller of expression than the great prima donna's. Every one was delighted with Miss Adler's singing She and she alone of all the singers who have come back from Europe justified the praise that had been written about her. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton were among the interested ones, as were the Hellmans and all the wealthy families of the Jewish colony. Miss Adler will probably give another concert as she has been requested to do, this time at the Maple Room of the Palace Hotel. Every one wants to hear her again, and those who missed the treat wish to make up for it.

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Society on both sides of the bay was immensely interested in the Carolan fancy dress ball, which took place last night in Burlingame. Not very many invitations came to Oakland, but there was a subdued hum of talk and anticipation The ball is the Bradley-Martin event of this Coast. I saw Ella Morgan's charming orchid gown—everyone was supposed to go as a flower or fruit.

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I am closing with a little clipping which seems to me so typical of the opposition to progress met with all along the line, that I am going to give you the benefit of it.

"In the days when the subject of geography was considered unfemmine," said Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt in a recent address, "the girl who ventured to study it was jeered after in the streets with the cry, 'there goes the geography girl' Just so has it been with every step of woman's progress. We are told that the present opposition to woman's suffrage is quite different from all others in that it is most determinedly maintained by women. This kind of remonstrance is not new. This century has witnessed ten generations of remonstrants. In 1800 the remonstrant was horrified at the study of geography. In 1810 she accepted physiology, but she protested against geometry. In 1830 she accepted geometry but protested against a collegiate education. In 1840 she accepted the college but remonstrate against equal property laws for married women In 1850 she demonstrated the property laws but remonstrated against public speaking by women. In 1860 she protested against the freedom of organizations. In 1870 she remonstrated against professions for women. In 1880 she protested against the school suffrage. In 1890 she protested against women in office. In 1900 she accepted everything that every generation of remonstrants has protested against, and, availing herself of the right of free speech secured by the women's rights movement, pleads publicly that she may be saved the burden of voting for President."

And leaving these words of wisdom to trickle down in your minds I'm going to close, merely signing myself

Your loving little friend,
THE MEDDLER

CHILDREN'S PARTY.

There will be a party given on Saturday afternoon next in the Unitarian Church parlors to the children of the Church. Games have been provided for and a program will be rendered Refreshments will be plentiful and a good time is promised.

RECEPTION TO MISS EASTON

The Unity Club will give a reception on Tuesday afternoon to Miss Easton, the President of the Woman's Unitarian Conference of the Pacific Coast.

CHERINGTON--WILLIAMS

Miss Maria Tallmadge Williams was married on Wednesday to the Rev. Reed Brown Cherington at her Brush street home Miss Mary Williams attended her sister and William Cherington was the best man. About a hundred friends and relatives were present and the decorations were of ferns, huckleberries and Autumn leaves. The ceremony was performed beneath a bower of palms in the bay-window. At the breakfast which followed the ceremony the decorations were white and pink. The bride was gowned in white moire silk, which had been the bridal dress of the family for many years. She wore pearls, the gift of her mother Her tulle veil was caught with real orange blossoms and she carried white carnations. The maid of honor was dressed in pale green crepe de chine and carried pink carnations

Long ropes of smilax and chiffon were held by Allen and Roger Chiderington at the end, and intermediately by Mrs. J E. McLean, Mrs. Warren Olney Jr., Mrs A. H. Babcock, Miss Mabel Gray, Mrs. Cary Howard, Mrs. Laura N. Richards of Saratoga, Mrs. P. Landing Wheeler, Miss Lucy B. Fisher and Mrs. Edward von Adelung.

Mr. and Mrs. Cherington will live in Kenwood, where Dr. Cherington is pastor of the Congregational Church He is a graduate of the Pacific Theological Seminary and afterwards took a two years' course at the Yale Divinity School.

"Well, I say that the very best of men don't know the difference between their souls and their stomachs, and they fancy that they are a-wrestling with their doubts when really it is their dinners they're a-wrestling with.

"Take my old man. A kinder husband never drew breath; yet so sure as he touches a bit of pork, he begins to worry hisself about the doctrine of Election, till I say, "I'd be ashamed to go troubling the minister with my doubts when an Ayer's Pill would set things straight again."

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EBELL THIS AFTERNOON.

Mrs. F. S. Stratton sang at Ebell this afternoon for the first time since her return to Oakland. Mrs. Prentiss Selby was the hostess of the day and the University Quartett was also in attendance and sang several numbers. The quartet includes Miss Alyce Weymouth, '02, first soprano; Miss Lizzie Greenke, '02, second soprano; Miss Blanche Clarke, '01, first alto; Miss M. E. Gates, '02, second alto.

DEGREE OF HONOR.

The Extension Committee meeting at the hall of Dawn of Hope Lodge No. 1 Degree of Honor, will be held this evening. There will be an initiation of candidates.

HOUGHTON CHAUTAUQUA.

The Houghton Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle will respond here to the great Bryant bell rung at the Mother Chautauqua, N. Y., by meeting their members and friends at 907 Broadway, room 24, Monday evening, October 1, at 8 o clock, for the purpose of reorganizing for the coming year's reading.

A CLERKS' SMOKER.

The retail clerks of this city will give a smoker in Foresters' Hall on October 15, to which every clerk employed in the city is invited.

ECKERT--POLLARD.

The First Methodist Church in Alameda was thronged on Tuesday when Miss Constance Pollard was married to E. T. M. Eckert. The bride has been very popular in the younger set of the Encinal City, and the groom, who holds a position in the freight department of the Southern Pacific Company, has long been an active member of the church choir. Over the organ left hung three wedding bells, gathered together by a dove with streamers of ribbons, and the ceremony took place under a huge floral wedding bell hung within a pretty canopy of greenery and flowers erected near the chancel. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Mary J. Smith, the church organist, and preceding the bride down the central aisle were two little flower-bearers, Frank Pollard, brother of the bride, and Addie Combs, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Combs. They opened the swinging gates put up across the aisle and stood on either side until the bridal party passed The bride's gown was of liberty satin and chiffon and her bouquet was of white carnations. The maid of honor, Miss Ethel Downs, wore white organdie and carried maidenhair ferns. The two bridesmaids were Miss Anna Sevening and Miss Ethel Wagner. They were gowned in pink organdie and carried bouquets of ferns.

James B. Kemp of San Francisco was best man and Harry Kennedy, Will Mitchell, and the bride's brother, Roy and Sidney Pollard were the ushers. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Edward P. Dennett.

At the reception which followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, supper was served in a large marquee upon the lawn and during the evening vocal numbers were rendered by Alfred Wilkie, Will Mitchell, Miss Pringle, Mr. Girard of San Francisco, Miss Sadie Bierce and Will Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckert will make their home in Alameda.

ENGAGEMENTS.

The engagement of Miss Mabel Hopps, of Alameda to William Shagan of San Lorenzo has been made known. The wedding will take place this fall.

The engagement of Miss Cora Spencer of Alameda to Lester H. Elliott of East Oakland is announced.

The engagement is announced in Alameda of Miss Lola E. Shirley and William M. Cumming. The wedding will take place next month.

FLOYD GRAY CELEBRATES,

The home of Floyd Gray at 1059 Oak street was the scene of a merry party on Wednesday evening, the occasion being the young host's fourteenth birthday. The evening was enlivened with piano and mandolin music and games of various sorts. Ice cream and other refreshments added to the pleasure of the evening and music from a phonograph which was one of the many presents of the day gave pleasure to the party through the evening. Those present were Gussie Millman, Lessie Brown, Loretta Nicholls, Georgie Sanders, George Davis, George Verper, Frank Harris, Eva Smith, Elizabeth Smith, Douglas Smith, John Hopkins, Cassie Norman, Irene Cooper, Vivian Warren, Dorothy Wishart, Floyd Gray, Annie Hughes.

STRINGER--VAN DER ZWEIT.

At Berkeley on Tuesday Samuel E. P. Stringer of Milwaukee and Miss Mabel Van der Zweit were married at the residence of Mrs Helen A. Chase. Only the immediate friends of the contracting parties were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George B. Hatch.

A WAR TIME WOOING

In Alameda, last Sunday, Miss Annie I Thorn, daughter of Mr. John P. Thorn, was married to James W. Sloan of the First Tennessee Regiment. The wedding grew out of a pretty romance when the Tennessee boys were quartered at the Presidio. Mr. Sloan took part in sixteen engagements in the Philippines. The bride and groom are now in the south and will make their home in Nashville.

GOLDEN GATE WHIST CLUB

The following officers of the newly organized Whist Club have been elected: President, Dr. L. A. Teague; vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Brown; secretary, J. H Stride; treasurer, Dr. A. A. de Puy.

Club rooms are being fitted up for the organization in the Kinkner block.

HALEY--STAPLES.

The wedding of Miss Estelle Staples and William H. Haley will take place on Wednesday evening at St. Paul's. Miss Amy White, whose marriage to George Williamson is set for October 9th, will be maid of honor and Louis Hunter of San Francisco will be his brother's best man.

Pears'

To keep the skin clean is to wash the excretions from it off; the skin takes care of itself inside, if not blocked outside.

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FRIDAY NIGHT CLUB OPENS THE SEASON.

The Friday night club opened its season most auspiciously last evening at Reed Hall. Some one hundred and fifty of Oakland's younger set gathered at the first party of the club, which took the form of a small assembly.

The patronesses present were Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. D. H. Mathes, Mrs. J. F. Sims.

Mrs. William H. Chickering, who is also one of the matrons who will make the parties a success, was absent in New York, where her son, Harry Chickering, is ill. Mrs. Q. A. Chase and Mrs. A. A. Moore were also unable to attend.

All of the patronesses present were gowned in quiet colored foulard silk and none wore jewels. The committee in charge was Miss Isabelle Kenna and Miss Edna Barry, and Messrs. Ed Hume, John Henshaw, George Herrick. The decorations were of palms which were banked upon the stage and in the corners of the halls. Yank of San Francisco furnished the music for twelve numbers, comprising four waltzes and eight deux temps', together with three extras.

The young people present were Miss Sadie Alexander, Miss Elsie Ames, Miss Edna Barry, Miss Jessie Brangs, Miss Irene Bangs, Miss Adah Brown, Miss Edith Beck, Miss Cordie Blanp, Miss Winifred Burgee, Miss Martha Coffin, Miss May Coogan, Miss Claire Chabot, Miss Norma Castle, Miss Ruth Durham, Miss Carol Day, Miss Edith Downing, Miss Jean Downey, Miss Elsie Everson, Miss essie Fillmore, Miss Elsie Farnham, Miss Pore, Miss Leslie Green, Miss Alice Graham, Miss Marian Goodfellow, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss Florence Hayden, Miss Lily Isaacs, Miss Ethel Jerome, Miss Ada Kenna, Miss Mabel Kenna, Miss Kathleen Kent, Miss Beth, Miss P. MacDermott, Miss Mollie Mathes, Miss Hazel McGraw, Miss Eleanor MacGowan, Miss P. McGrath, Miss McCormick, Miss Meyer, Miss Kittie Oliver, Miss Anita Oliver, Miss Carrie Palmantier, Miss Lillian Salonshall, Miss Katherine Stone, Miss Ethel Sims, Miss Lita Schlesinger, Miss Julia Summers, Miss Florence Taylor, Miss Helen Winchester, Miss C. Williamson, Miss Effie Wade, Frank Baird, Frederick Beamer, Taylor Bell, Irving Burrell, Frederick Bain, Frederick Brown, Edward Beck, Wallace Beaniston, Harold Bradley, Everett Collin, Irving Cooper, Will Childs, Roger Chickering, John Dibert, George Davis, Hewett Davenport, Frederick Dieckman, Frank Burton, Frank Evans, Will Gillette, Frederick Gowing, Percy Gaskill, Hugh Goodfellow, Richard Hyde, Victor Henderson, Hiram Hall, George Herrick, Parker Holt, John Henshaw, Shirley Houghton, Edward Hume, Will Hush, Whipple Hall, John Isaacs, Will Jordan, James Kenna, Arthur Kales, Arthur Selby, Frank Kendall, L. McDermott, Victor Metcalf, Stanley Moore, Eggleson Marsh, Ralph McCormick, Harry Malone, R. Nicholson, Charles Norris, Frank Noyes, Seymour Phelan, Ed Pierce, Charles Pringle, John Posey, Hugh Russell, Will Roth, William Robbins, Oscar Schilling, Rodolph Schilling, Robert Sherman, John Valentine, Stanley Walton, Hart Wilcox, Wilder Wight, Charles Wilcox, Wilder Thornton White, Elwood Woodburn, Arthur Watson.

UP-TO-DATES WILL DANCE.

The Twentieth Party Dance of the "Up-to-Dates" will be held at Reed Hall, Wednesday evening Barney's Orchestra will furnish the music.

ST. COLUMBA'S FAIR.

At Golden Gate, the fair of St. Columba's parish which is to open about November 1st is in charge of the following ladies:

Golden Gate table—Mrs. J. H. McMenomy, Mrs. J. H. Rourke, Mrs. C. Gilchrist, Miss Jennie Gilchrist, Mrs. William Sweeny, Mrs. Fred Cautius, Mrs. Henry Westphal, Mrs Glenn McBride, Mrs. William McCrindle, Mrs. Henry Hollis, the Misses Hollis, Miss Fitzpatrick.

Emeryville table—The Misses Mary, Alice and Tessie Matthews, Miss Mary Kling, Miss Annie Sheehan, Miss Margaret Ayden, Miss Alice Murray, Miss Mary McDonald, Mrs. Emily Bell, Mrs. Wilson Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Caesar Young.

Candy table—Mrs. J. J. Ryan, Mrs. E. F. Murphy, the Misses Ada and Caroline Ryan, Sarah Young, Jennie Pedadeau, Victorine Cedley, Clara Cuff.

Refreshment table—Mrs. John O'Connor, Mrs Scanlan, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. J. J. Finn, Mrs. Lagenfelder, Miss Margaret O'Connor.

STARR KING NEXT WEEK.

The lecture of Starr King Fraternity on Friday night will be by John J. Valentine who will choose for his subject, "Egypt," basing his talk upon his recent visit to that country.

EBELL LECTURE COURSE.

The lecture course this season under the auspices of the Ebell Club will open with a lecture by Professor Charles M. Gayley of the University of California on Tuesday evening, October 16th. It is to continue each Tuesday to and including November 20th. The subjects chosen: the "Have Poets any Influence Today?" "Kipling's Prose," "Three Aspects of Life's Philosophy," "A Modern Falstaff" (Sienkiewicz) for four of the six lectures, the others to be announced Admission will be free to members of Ebell. To others, a charge of twenty-five cents, or a dollar and a quarter for the course, will be made.

WILLIAMSON--WHITE.

The engagement of Miss Amy White to George Williamson is announced and the wedding will take place at the Oscar W. White home on October 9th. The maid of honor will be Mrs. William H. Haley, and the bridesmaids Miss Mabel Reed, Miss Estelle Winbigler, Miss Harriet Smedberg, Miss Frankie Milroy and Miss Mamie Wallace. The best man will be Harry Williamson the bride's brother.

SAN LEANDRO FAIR.

The Parish fair arranged by the ladies of St. Leander's Church at San Leandro opens on Thursday next. The ladies in charge are Mrs. Manuel Garcia; Mrs M. Joseph Andrade, Misses Louisa Garcia, Annie Rodgers, Philomena Cardoza, Rita Cardoza, Mary Amoral, Rose Morris, Emma Rose, Nellie Rogers, Mrs Quale, Misses Margaret Whelan, Lettie Gleason, Loretta Gannon, Alice Cottrell, Eva Cottrell, Eva Downing, Emma Rose, Victoria Pomes, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. P. Bjorkman, Mrs. J. P. Tormey, Mrs. D. McCarty, Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Judson, Misses Alice and Elizabeth Duffey, Jessie Barnes, Madge and Elsie McCarty, Mrs. J. H. Garcia, Mrs. J. Goodman, Mrs F. Meyers, Mrs. J. Quinn, Misses Mamie Skidmore, Kate Castro, Inez Estudillo, Maud Downing, Kate Downing, May Owens, Minnie Gagan, Carrie Lewis, Mary Sullivan, Gertie Quinn, M. Gomain, Garcia, Mrs. B Toffelmier, Mrs. W. Marianto, Mrs A. Mendy, Clarence Marianto, Mrs. Miller, Miss Eliza Lane, Mrs. R. H. Peralta, Misses Selina Peralta, Jovita Peralta, Minnie Marianto, Misses Dorothy Marianto, May Muntz, May Smith, Kate Williams, Misses S. O'Donnell and M. Flynn.

PILLOWS AND CHOCOLATE.

The management of the Mutual Benefit Club will hold a fair on Thursday for the sale of sofa-pillows and fancy articles. Three hundred invitations have been been issued and chocolate will be poured by the young ladies of the club.

The officers of the club are Miss Tillie Brown, Mrs William Morrison, Mrs. H. S. Keigin, Miss Geraldine Scupham, Miss Isabela Hunt, Miss Edith Larkey, Miss Mabel Gray, Miss Mabel Berry, Miss Anna Sutherland, Miss Edith Dyer, Miss Nettie Stevens, Mrs. C. W. Armts, Mrs. R. Kitchenor.

ALAMEDA'S YOUNG DANCERS

A young people's Cotillion Club has been organized in Alameda by Master Harold Keys with the following members: Miss Rose von Schmidt, Miss Alexine Mitchell, Miss Lealne Mitchell, Miss Leontina Westover, Miss Fenelon Benton, Miss Catherine Searles, Miss Hazel Bender, Miss Josephine Keenan, Miss Alice Harrington, Miss Josephine Reiby, Miss Marjorie Arnold, Miss Ethel Brown, Miss Hope Carleton, Miss Emily Meyer, Miss Anna Meyer, Miss Helen Morrison, Miss Etta Foley, Thomas H. Benton, Chester N. Jameson, Frank Rue, John Parker, Walter Hovey, Harold Keys, Hiram Harris, Sidney Beckon, Clifford Brown, Basil Ward, Fred Crawford, George H. Morrison, Bruce Spencer, Russel Searle.

STUDYING DANTE.

The Epworth Literary Circle will continue the study of Dante's Divine Comedia" at Miss Wittich's home on Walnut street on Thursday afternoon.

MR. AND MRS. WELCH AT AT HOME.

Mr. Robert T. Welch and his bride, who was Miss Birdie Pilcher of East Oakland, have returned from their wedding trip. A week was spent at Glen Alpine Springs, near Lake Tahoe, and some days at Carson City, Nevada. After October 1st they will be at home to their friends at 2115 Vine street, North Berkeley.

WHIST AT SAN JOSE.

The Tuesday and Wednesday Whist Club of Alameda entered the tournament at San Jose on Thursday, going down in a special car Wednesday night. The party included Mesdames Rogers, Arnold, Langley, W. Armitage, B Bradford, W. Culver, C. W. Jackson, P. Hintz, A. Flanders, W. Harding, R. Hunter, Bancroft, Haynes, W. D. Higgins, McChesney, D. Wright, Hare, J. Browning, M. Johnson, G. Plummer, Ed Roe, W. D. Rogers, B. Combs, Sargent, F. Vooght and J. Walker, and Misses A. Ellery and G. Ellery.

MRS. M'CLEES' ANNIVERSARY

The seventy-eighth anniversary of her birthday was made an occasion to be treasured in her memory by the friends of Mrs. Sarah A. McClees on last Sunday. Mrs. McClees has been an active worker in W. C. T. U. matters for over twenty-five years and was closely associated with Frances E. Willard in the National Department and in New York.

Since being in Oakland, she has been active in the affairs of the Noon Rest and the Loyal Temperance Legion. On her birthday a number of ladies of the W. C. T. U. met at Mrs. McClees' home and presented her with congratulatory resolutions, neatly inscribed between hand-painted covers, and with other pretty gifts. The ladies who were present were: Mrs. H. B McMath, Mrs Olive E. Gilford, Mrs. E. T. Mitchell, Mrs. M. E. Craze, Mrs. Phoebe Mincher, Mrs. J. H. Rhodes, Mrs. Sarah F. Bardorf, Mrs N. Burns, Mrs. Stripling, Mrs. C. Heffernan, Mrs. Lucy Jessnar, Mrs. D. N. Curtis, Miss M. A. Thompson and Dr. H. Van Kirk.

SURPRISE TO GEO WILLIAMS

Those who took part in the surprise party given George Williams in Alameda on Wednesday evening were The Misses Burns, Storey, Yelmin, Barber, Justin Barber, and Williams.

TO ENTERTAIN TEACHERS.

The Teachers' Institute which convenes here on October 8th will be entertained by the ladies of the First Congregational Church on Monday, by the Unitarian Church ladies in Alameda on Tuesday, and at the Unitarian Church in Berkeley on Wednesday.

WELCOME BACK TO HIS OLD CHARGE.

A welcome was accorded Rev. Dr. Dille last night by the members of the First Methodist Church at the Sunday-School rooms of the church, which were decorated for the occasion.

Dr. Dille has just been assigned to his old charge by the General Conference.

After prayer by Dr. John Fearn, Dr. McLaish, president of the University of the Pacific, said a few words of welcome. Miss Mabel Grey sang and then speeches were made Mr. Wilcox and Myron Holcomb spoke in behalf of the official board.

Dr. Fearn followed on behalf of the congregation, and Rev. Paul M. Spencer spoke of his coming work.

Dr. Dille spoke later in the evening of the work of the church, and in part said:

"During the last year our church has given much to charity, the total amount being something like $17,000. This makes $15 for every member of the church, and considering those that are so circumstanced, most of our members have given $25 each to charity. During the year the church gave $700 to benevolent societies, which makes the gifts of individual members $5. It was the high water mark and I challenge any other church to show such a good record for its members."

INSURANCE COMPANY CAN TAKE NO RISKS.

The Connecticut Fire Insurance Company was enjoined by Judge Murasky yesterday from doing business within California. The injunction was applied for by Insurance Commissioner Clunie on the ground that the company had not complied with the insurance laws of this State. The company has been doing business in this city.

Bible Study Rally.

The annual rally of men only in the interests of Bible study at the Young Men's Christian Association will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o clock. The speakers will be Messrs. C. A. Giung, John W. Berger, and Edward Freyenburg. These young men were the original members of the first class in Bible study organized in October, 1891 by Secretary Noel H. Jacks. There will be sacred music by the orchestra. All men are invited.

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Hints for Home Sewing

The sewing machine should be got in readiness at least a day before any protracted work is undertaken, in order that the oil may penetrate about every intricately placed screw. Several needles of a proper size to "take" the fabric should be provided in advance, in order that an accidental delay through breakage may be precluded. Hand or machine needles should be carefully selected with a view to securing implements that will carry the chosen thread well, but will make no unnecessarily large punctures in silk or cloth. A small emery cushion should be kept at hand, that the points of the needles may be sharpened and cleaned by running through it from time to time. Home dress making never should be begun until each needed article required for the new gowns has been purchased and is held in readiness. Linings, whale-bones, sewing silks and cottons, basting thread, tapes, belting, canvas or crinoline, hooks and eyes, or buttons, are among the necessities; also buttonhole twist for buttonholes, for the making of loops, or for the tiny "tacks" that are so frequently employed upon cloth or tailor-made gowns. Nor must the important shields be forgotten.—Harper's Bazaar.

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FLAYS BRYAN AND DEMOCRACY.

Eloquent Expose By Harry N. Morse of That Bugaboo Anti-Imperialism.

At the meeting of the Quarter-Century Republican Club last Thursday night the following elaborate and exhaustive speech on the issues of the campaign, was delivered by Harry N. Morse. The effort was listened to with the greatest interest, and was frequently interrupted with applause:

"Blackstone tells us 'that in general all mankind will agree that government should be reposed in such persons in whom these qualities are likely to be found, the perfection of which is among the attributes of him who is emphatically styled the Supreme Being, the three great requisites, I mean, of wisdom of goodness, and of power, wisdom to discern the real interest of the community, goodness, to endeavor always to pursue that real interest; and strength, or power to carry this knowledge and intention into action.'

"These are the natural foundations of sovereignty, and these are the requisites that ought to be found in every well constituted frame of government.'

"Now, this is a truism so apparent I don't believe that even a Democrat would have the fa dihood to gainsay it, though they are apt to dispute almost anything put forth by a Republican administration that is in the interest of good government.

WHOM WILL THEY HAVE.

"In November next, the people of this country will be called upon to say whom they will have to govern them during the four years to come. Republicans or Democrats! Will the people choose those patriotic statesmen, William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt, or will they line up with Colonel William Jennings Bryan, and that hoary old copperhead, Stevenson? Which of the candidates comes the nearest to Blackstone's ideal ruler of a nation? The colonel you must know, after having returned from the sanguined camping grounds of the storied ranks of the United States where, during the war with Spain, he had courageously braved the dangers inherent in undipe fruit, impure water and unsanitary conditions is still a full-fledged colonel, in name, notwithstanding the fact that he is the candidate for the presidency on the Democratic ticket. His running mate, Stevenson, is of the very same stripe of copperhead, who during the war of the rebellion, when our poor boys shot to death by rebel bullets and brought home in their pine coffins, were being lauded at the little home railroad station, stood by and sneeringly muttered through his clenched teeth sayed them right they had no business to go to this unholy abolition war,' and this too when all the time these sneering copperheads knew that these same soldier boys had done four long years of battle to save this great country of ours. God bless every one of them!

A PARTY WITHOUT A HOME.

"I cannot believe that the present degenerated Democratic party, under the leadership of such a demagogue as is Bryan, and a supplicant such as Stevenson always has been, can win a national victory at the polls, for the reason that the youth of the nation have grown up Republican, though their fathers might have been Democrats all their lives.

"The public schools have been the death knell to the Democratic party. That party is without a future and without hope under the leadership of Bryan. The curse of demagoguism has dominated it to such an extent that its brain has become palsied, its blood poisoned and its bones rotten with populism. Therefore it must die. The curse of Bryanism has pursued the Democratic party so persistently that it has hunted it to its death. It is of the earth, earthy, let us bury it.

"It becomes easy in these days to know just the kind of a man Bryan is when we pick up the papers and read what his brown friends say about him. Even his friends are becoming frightened at Bryan's dangerous utterances, and are deserting him by the hundreds.

NO FAITH IN BRYAN'S SINCERITY.

"Dr. George L. Miller, for thirty years a leader of the Democratic forces in Nebraska, and a founder of the Omaha Herald, and for 41 years its editor, is a most uncompromising foe of Bryanism. In speaking of Bryan the doctor says, 'I know Bryan as well as any one can know him, for I have worked with him in his early political days, and have been in touch with his actions of more recent years. I have no faith whatever in his sincerity, because I credit him with more than ordinary intelligence. He knew the fallacy of the free silver proposition when he first thrust it upon the party in this state, but he insisted upon making it a political issue, for with panther-like quickness he realized that it could be readily employed to delude a people who at that time were suffering a universal business depression.

"The primary objection to Mr. Bryan is his continuous assault upon the established institutions of his country, his unremitting attacks upon citizens who happen to own something, his opposition to the rights of our courts and his implied carelessness as to the preservation of law and order. He is forever appealing to class prejudices and endeavoring to array one portion of our people against another.

"He panders to the desires of anxious, unscrupulous and irresponsible members of society, and, for that reason alone he is a dangerous man to place at the head of our government. I regard Bryan as a socialistic revolutionist, tinged with religious fanaticism. On the money question Bryan preaches a false doctrine on the subject of law and order he incites the revolutionary spirit on the Philippine problem he promises nothing different from the course now being pursued by the administration, but attempts to catch votes by a groundless cry of imperialism. Bryan's insincerity in his utterances on the Philippines as he is on the silver question.'

PEOPLE "ON TO" BRYAN.

"This gentleman, is the opinion of a man who, for years, has eaten at put and drank with Bryan and we must presume that he knew what he was talking about. Imagine, my fellow citizens, the great and only Bryan standing upon a mental mountain peak looking out over the country and crying out 'Oh America, America, how often would I have gathered thee as a hen gathers her chickens under her wing, and ye would not' and she will not. The colonel is swinging all over the country trying to frighten the plain, common people with his great scarecrow of imperialism, but somehow the people are on to the colonel. They listen, laugh at him and don't imperial worth a cent. They have heard that same old gag before. Years and years ago, the same cry went up from the lips of Democratic orators, and through the columns of Democratic newspapers, and that, too, when our martyred president, Abraham Lincoln, was the candidate of the great Republican party. Hark! From the tomb there comes a bit of political history. In 1864, the Indianapolis Sentinel, then a Democratic paper, today a Democratic paper supporting Bryan and warning people that President McKinley is trying to destroy this republic and build an empire upon its ruins cried out against Abraham Lincoln with all its might denouncing him as the personification of reckless ambition, and declaring that he was endeavoring to destroy freedom for the purpose of establishing an empire. In July 1864, this Bryan organ to which I have referred said: 'The only hope of preserving constitutional liberty, the rights of the states and of restoring peace to the Union is the restoration of the Democratic party to power.' The same Democratic party are howling the same thing to-day. 'But,' add the paper, 'let Abraham Lincoln be elected for another term and what would be the consequences? Four years more of abolition war, national bankruptcy and then European interference.' You will observe that they called the war for the preservation of our country an 'abolition war.' That, as I have said before, was the war cry of the copperhead Democracy of the North, during the time their Democratic friends in the South were in rebellion against the best government the world ever saw, and presided over, too, by the most invincible character that America or any other nation ever produced—Abraham Lincoln.

ATTACKING LINCOLN.

"On another occasion during the same campaign, this same Democratic paper asked 'Shall we profit by the teachings of history, and even by our own experience, or continue a policy that must overthrow one of the best governments the world ever saw, and of civil liberty? Have not the people daily evidence that Abraham Lincoln is assuming the power, the despotic power, to enable him to pay his debts and enable him to replenish his overdrawn coffers exhausted by extravagance and ambitious strife for power?' In 1864, a copperhead anti-imperialist, of the same Democratic school as is Stevenson the present Democratic nominee for vice-president, made a rabid speech which the Indianapolis Sentinel published with editorial commendations. The speaker said, among other things, 'More than 1800 years ago, Rome was governed by three men at the end of that republic, one was Caesar. They were all of noble blood, and we, too, have our triumvirate, Lincoln, Stanton, Halleck, but, unfortunately, neither of them can boast of very high descent. The three succeeded an emperor who could fiddle when Rome was burning. We also have our Emperor Lincoln, who can tell state jokes while the land is running red with the blood of brothers.'

McKINLEY ABUSED LIKE LINCOLN.

'The Democrats of today are using the same argument, substituting the name of McKinley for that of Lincoln, and, consequently, omitting the reference to state jokes. A few days before the election in 1864, Mr. Bryan's Indianapolis organ said in its editorial column, 'Should Mr. Lincoln be re-elected, the revolution will be accomplished. This will no longer be a republic of the United States, but a consolidated empire.' Did any one ever hear such infernal nonsense? Continuing, it said, 'Every safeguard must sooner or later give way. The limitations of the executive power will not be in the constitution, but in the pleasure of the president. We implore judges as they are doling now the beggars, patriotic and intelligent men to pause and reflect and give their verdict on Tuesday next. If the people will not save their priceless constitution and union, it is lost.' Now, if my memory serves me correctly, the voters did save the priceless constitution and union by electing Abraham Lincoln as president of these United States for the second term. And they will save it again the coming November by electing William McKinley for the second term, and Teddy with him, too.

MISQUOTE LINCOLN.

"We see from the above that Mr. Bryan and his anti imperialist brethren have not built up a new 'paramount issue.' The same issue that the Democrats are paramounting today was exploited 36 years ago, and it met with the same reception that it is to meet now. The Indianapolis Sentinel was not the only Democratic paper that was crying out against the danger of imperialism when Abraham Lincoln came up for the second term. Look over the files of the Bryan organs of to-day as was published during the war and you will find that many of them in addition to the Indianapolis Sentinel were referring to Lincoln as another Caesar who wanted a crown, and was working, not to save the Union, but to destroy it. The Democrats are quoting Lincoln's speeches now, but they are careful not to make any references to the imperialistic ideas he was accused of harbouring in 1864, and which he was forced to disclaim.

ATTITUDE OF REPUBLICAN PARTY.

"Why don't they rake up some of the speeches that were made against the great emancipator and shout them from the stumps? If they would take the trouble to delve a little, they would find plenty of ammunition that they could use again. The speeches that were made against imperialism in 1864 were just as full of frightful predictions as are those will Mr. Bryan and his anti-imperialist spellbinders are making to-day. Why are they not working the anti-imperialistic mines that are open to them without money and without price? Now, gentlemen, I declare that there is no issue, as far as I can see, of imperialism and anti-imperialism between the Republican party and the Democratic party, except as made by the Democratic party for campaign purposes. The attitude of the Republican party is this so far as I can understand it. It is first to enforce and maintain the authority of the United States in the Philippine Archipelago, to organize as speedily as possible civil governments, these adapted to the necessities of the different tribes and people, to give them honest courts of justice, to give the people an opportunity for education to be just and generous to those people, giving participation in the local governments there as large as possible at first, and on increasing lines as they may show themselves fitted for it, to honestly expend the moneys collected for taxation there in their interest and for their benefit, to maintain laws there so honestly and so firmly that no man, however rich, shall be beyond their reach if he does wrong, and no man, however humble, shall be denied their support or protection if he is wronged; to carry to that people what they have never had before and what the American flag always carries to a people—generosity, justice, liberty and the blessings and advantages of a civilization as far and as fast as possible. Is there any imperialism in that? If the one, then I am an imperialist, first, last and all the time.

"General Otis, our soldiers in the Philippines under orders from a Republican president, did everything in their power to avoid a conflict with the natives, but these unfortunate people were encouraged by the howling so-called anti-imperialist of the Democratic party to resist the authority of the United States and finally, to commit the overt act of firing upon our soldiers. Listen to what the brave General Lawton, himself a Democrat, said in a letter written to a friend while suffering under the calumny of these Democratic agitators, 'I would to God that the whole truth of this whole Philippine situation could be known by every one in America as I know it. If the so-called anti-imperialists would honestly search out the truth on the ground and not in distant America, they, whom I believe to be honest men misinformed, would be convinced of the error of their statements and conclusions, and of the unfortunate effect of their publications here. If I am shot by a Filipino bullet, it might as well come from my own men, because I know from observations, confirmed by captured prisoners, that the continuance of fighting is chiefly due to reports that are sent out from America.' Now, gentlemen, this is the situation as written by a gallant American soldier.

WHO CAUSED GEN. LAWTON'S DEATH.

"He, poor fellow, was shot down by a Filipino bullet, and who was to blame for it? Was it Republican principles that caused the killing of General Lawton? They preached only peace and good will. I'll tell you who caused the death of the gallant Lawton, it was the imperialistic howlings of American demagogues, with William Jennings Bryan at their head who are responsible for the murder of that gallant soldier. He appealed to them to desist, but they listened not. They sent him to his death.

TRUSTS.

"Now, gentlemen, we come to the proposition of trusts, so much talked about by the orators of the Democratic party. Let us see just how that party, or the leaders of that party, stand on the trust question. The author of the sugar trust was that eminent Democrat, Mr. Havemeyer of New York, and who owns and operates the largest sugar refinery in the United States. You have heard a great deal about the Standard Oil Trust. It has been found, according to expert computation, that the seventy-six million people in the United States pay per capita for oil during a single year 38 cents, that they pay per capita for sugar $2.93, and for wheat $4.74. I want to call your attention to the testimony of Mr. Havemeyer taken before the industrial commission at Washington D. C. Mr. Havemeyer stated his proposition. 'The mother of trusts is the customs tariff bill,' and then had the monumental assurance in that same statement to say that the tariff on sugar should be doubled. In order that this illustration may be intelligently apprehended and the real animus of an local democratic trust disclosed, we will let Mr. Havemeyer speak for himself. Senator Mallory was interrogator for that committee. Senator Mallory—Now, I understand you to imply, at least, that it is the policy of the American Sugar Refining Company to crush out all competition, if possible.' Mr. Havemeyer—'But that is not so; there is no such testimony. I understand it has been put in form by one of the gentlemen here, but it is not the fact. What I said was that it was the policy of the American company to maintain and protect its trade, and if it resulted in crushing a competitor it is no concern of the American company. If he gets in the press that is his fault, not ours.'

"Senator Mallory—And if anyone interferes with the business, profits or competition of the American Sugar Refining Company, it is policy to prevent it if possible.

"'Mr. Havemeyer—By lowering the profits to defy it.'

"Senator Mallory—And if it results in crushing him out?

"'Mr. Havemeyer—That is his affair.'

"Senator Mallory—Not the affair of the American Sugar Refining Company?

"Mr. Havemeyer—No.

"Senator Mallory—Now, supposing in the natural course of events the American Sugar Refining Company should suppress, we will not use the word crush out, all competition, all opposition. I understand from your theory, business principles, that you would seek to get out of the public and consumer the largest amount of profit consistent with your idea of business principles?

"Mr. Havemeyer—Precisely.'

THE SUGAR CLUTCH.

"Here it is in a nut shell, comment is unnecessary. The inference is drawn by the Democratic orators that the Standard Oil Company and the sugar trust are equally oppressive, and yet this Democratic American Sugar Refining Company under the protection of that great and good Democrat, Dick Croker of Tammany Hall is eight times, according to computation, as villainous in its clutch upon the throats of the laboring poor man than the Standard Oil Company is. I am not upholding the Standard Oil trust, but I only desire to show how gingerly these Democrats handle a great Democratic trust such as the American Sugar Refining Company. The Standard Oil Company never had the protection of a cent, while the sugar trust has. In 1894 the Democrats passed the Wilson-Gorman tariff bill, which described as a measure of perfidy and dishonor, so disreputable that Grover Cleveland refused to sign it. This tariff bill was framed with a grave solicitude in favor of the sugar trust, framed to perpetuate rather than destroy a trust.

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ing classes throughout the United States as the Standard Oil Company. But these gentlemen, you must recollect that, at that time we had a Democratic Congress and they were legislating in favor of Democratic trusts. There was a tariff bill that, instead of destroying the sugar trust, actually encouraged it.

BRYAN FAVORED TRUST BILL.

"And where was William J. Bryan, Colonel Bryan the great, all this while? Why, he was a Democratic member of Congress and also a member of the Ways and Means Committee that reported the Wilson bill that had prefaced that tariff protecting the sugar trust under these circumstances. Now, our Democratic shouters say, oh let us amend the tariff on trusts, but where was William J. Bryan when this bill came before him in 1894? Let the brave but fluent Colonel take that question up and explain it in some of his speeches that he is making to his Democratic followers as he swings the circle. Let him answer that when he discusses on trusts. William J. Bryan introduced into the Fifty-second Congress a bill H. R. 697, and another bill H. R. 9,004, providing for placing trust-made articles upon the free list. It was the session when the Wilson bill was passed. What did William Jennings Bryan do with these bills? He had them very promptly referred to Ways and Means Committee of which he was a member, and of which the Democrats had control. Where are these bills? They never were resurrected until the Hon. Charles L. Littlefield, member of Congress from Maine, dug them up from out the dust by which they were intended to be smothered when they were referred to a Democratic committee. It won't do for the Democracy to say that they were not thinking of these hidden bills and the trusts they were thinking about it for the fall end of the Wilson bill had a provision in relation to trusts. But the more they thought about it, the more they would not bother the sugar trust. Mr. Havemeyer being at the head of it. I do not suppose the Democratic Mr. Havemeyer contributes anything to the Democratic campaign fund, it would be unkind to suggest such an idea. They made provision in that Wilson bill for what? Against combinations that interfered with foreign commerce, but did not make any against combinations that interfered with local production while one was precisely as injurious as the other—the Democrats had charge of Congress—the Democrats had charge of Congress. They introduced a resolution on January 25 of that year authorizing the Committee on Manufactures to investigate and report recommendations in relation to trusts. That committee commenced the investigation January 25, 1893, and they are investigating yet I guess.

DEMOCRATIC DECEIT.

"I desire to call your attention to the fact that while these Democrats were investigating the trust, two national conventions were held, one Democratic and the other Republican. The Democratic convention introduced into its platform this mask: 'Judged by Democratic principles, the interests of the people are betrayed when by unnecessary taxation, trusts and combinations are permitted to exist while unduly enriching the few that combine, rob the body of our citizens by depriving them of the benefits of natural competition.' Not a word as to the remedy, not a promise that they would correct it. It was a generality that did not even glitter. Let me read the plank in the platform adopted by the Republican convention in 1888, while the Democrats were investigating in Washington City.

REPUBLICAN PARTY VS. TRUSTS.

"'We declare our opposition to all combinations of capital, organized in trusts or otherwise, to control arbitrarily the condition of trade among citizens; and we recommend to Congress and State Legislatures in their respective jurisdictions, such legislation as will prevent the execution of all schemes to oppress the people by undue charges in their supplies, or by unjust rates for transportation of their products to market. We approve legislation by Congress to prevent unjust burthens and unfair discriminations between States.' The man who drew the resolution was a lawyer. He was a member of the House of Representatives, and he well knew the jurisdiction of Congress was confined to the enforcement of the provisions of the constitution known as the interstate commerce clause, and that other legislation as to trust would have to be enacted by the States. That resolution therefore, recommended Congress to act, and it also recommended the various States to act. I stated that the framer of that resolution was a lawyer. He was also a Republican, a statesman and a patriot, and was then a member of the lower House. He came from the State of Ohio, and his name was William McKinley. He was chairman of that committee on resolutions. Going back to the committee charged with the duty of investigating the trust. It investigated the Standard Oil trust, the sugar trust, the cotton bag trust and the whisky trust. They made their report to Congress on the 2d day of March, 1893. So far as the record shows, our Democrat friends did nothing. They were only thinking of what they would do. Here these Democratic howlers were up against four trusts which they had been investigating, four deadly octopuses which had their villainous clutch upon the throat of American energy. Let us see what the Democrats did when they went up against the real thing. They authorized the continued employment of a clerk after they had ceased their meetings, after they had ceased to do any business. I suppose this clerk was retained for the purpose of helping them think on this most important question of trusts. He does not appear to have served any other useful purpose, except to draw down his six dollars per day. He was paid from September 1st up to March 23, 1893. It is doubtful that it will appear if this Democratic committee hardly knew what even to think when they thought. In 1893 this committee had had under investigation four trusts for more than a year, and what conclusion did they reach? Here is their own language. They limit their report to submitting to the careful consideration of subsequent Congresses the facts shown by the testimony taken before the committee.

MOCK COURAGE.

"Was not that courageous? No cold feet there. Democratic politicians never have them. It was a significant fact, however, that this Democratic committee well knew that the next Congress was Republican, and could be relied upon to courage and intelligence enough to do something. There is no thing in history that is equal to the carriage, distraction and havoc that was visited upon the hydra-headed monsters, the trusts, by the assault of the Democracy upon them in 1894. What a spectacle the Democratic members of Congress made of themselves on this great trust question. Bryan said in a recent speech that when he wanted humorous reading he takes Mark Hanna on trusts. Well, after the cowardly conduct of Bryan et al in Congress Mark Hanna might very properly say that when he desired to read from the sublime to the ridiculous he read Bryan on imperialism and trusts. At the last session of Congress the argument on the amendment to the national constitution relating to the governmental control of trusts came up. How these poor frightened Democrats must have squirmed over trying to dodge the vote on that important question? There they stood groaning idiot in the face and frothing at the mouth with vehement denunciation of the trusts and all the time trying to dodge the issue. What a position for a great party to be in. One Democratic member of Congress, Mr. Lanham from Texas, said in his speech on the trust question on the floor of Congress, that the constitution could not be amended except by bayonet and sword and shot and shell and the spilling of blood. What a harrowing picture he drew in his dread of facing the music of the great question of trusts. Mr. Lanham's State has the reputation of producing more bad men, cutters and shooters, than most any other State in the union. They generally cut dirt and shoot their mouths off, however, and that is about all the harm they do, they are good followers generally. I presume the blood that the gallant gentleman from Texas had reference to was the blood the Democratic members were sweating trying to dodge the vote on the amendment to the constitution regulating trusts. One Democratic member from Missouri objected to the amendment for the reason that it had been so long since the constitution had been amended that it could not be amended. Mr. Lidby of Texas objected to the amendment for the reason that it would take away the power of the state. Just think of the consternation of these Democratic members of Congress on the question of regulating the trusts, and yet, in the face of it all they have the impudence gall to stand upon the floor of Congress and proclaim to the world that the great Democratic party can always be relied upon by the American people to construct legislation that will control the evil of trusts. What a spectacle for the world to gaze upon. No wonder Bryan grinned and became humorous over Mark Hanna's arrangement of Bryanism.

The people having weighed these great Democrats and found them wanting when they made their report on trusts, and the turning over a question they dare not meddle to a Republican congress that had been already elected. The Democratic party are peculiar to say the least. Wherever is found the hydra-headed monster, conglomerate, aggregation of pestilence, communism, socialism, Populism, Oxygenism, 16 to one-ism, multiism-thy-neighbor-ism, anything-to-beat-Grant-ism, raise-the-devil-generalism, there you will find lined up the great bulk of the Democratic-Populistic politicians headed by William J. Bryan, Colonel Bryan, marching as they imagine and hope, on their way to the White House.

SHERMAN INTRODUCED FIRST TRUST BILL.

"The first anti-trust bill was introduced in the Senate by that grand old Republican, John Sherman, on July 21, 1890. It was opposed by Democratic Senator Vest and other Democrats with great force and violence because as Vest said it was unconstitutional. After due course of procedure, it was reported to the House. The Democracy were starving to vote for it. Its friends undertook on the 20th day of June, 1890, to sidetrack it in the interest of the silver bill on the 16 to 1 proposition. They did not dare to stand up in the House and vote upon it. The vote upon that proposition was what? The leading Democrats voted to sidetrack the Sherman anti-trust law which was then under the charge of William McKinley of Ohio, a member of that Congress. McKinley, the author of the McKinley tariff bill voted to sidetrack the anti-trust bill. It will be interesting for the masses of the people to know, however, that this same McKinley voted on his celebrated tariff bill to give a preferential tariff of 25 per cent in favor of the sugar trust which was reported and passed the house. Whether a metallic argument was used with these Democratic members of Congress to induce them to vote against their moral convictions has never been ascertained. It would be interesting reading, indeed to get at the bottom facts of that vote. 'There are tricks in all trades but ours' you know.

HONEST DEMOCRATS VOTE FOR McKINLEY.

"In conclusion, I will say that I believe it is the intention of the intelligent and honest portion of the great Democratic party to cast their votes at the coming election for William McKinley for President and Theodore Roosevelt for Vice-President. The only way the Democracy can get rid of Colonel William Jennings Bryan, the 'old man of the sea' of their party. With the assistance of the Sound-Money Democrats we will endeavor to put away forever more this garrulous gentleman now talking from the rear platforms of trust railroads. When Bryan comes to his senses after election, and his dream of the Presidency is over, he will find himself hidden away in the catacombs of the New York ice trust, now presided over by Dick Croker, the immortable leader of New York's Tammany Hall Democracy, there to remain until some genuine Democrat appears and assumes the leadership of a regenerated Democracy. Bryanism can never be stamped out in any other manner. If this is not done, he will suck the life blood out of a great party, will with his plagarized 'cross of gold' and 'crown of thorns,' go on making a monkey out of the Democratic party for all time. If Bryan cannot be shelved now, he never can be. In my opinion, Bryan's wild guidance has been the destruction of the great Democratic party, and its worthy members know it. Democracy's only relief is to snow him under at the coming election. Let us pray that they may succeed in so doing and relieve our country from the much millions of the greatest demagogue America has ever produced."

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Now that Jackson is gone, though, it is not surprising to find that Spear has jumped into the fight again, this time with fairly good prospects of success. He is at present Surveyor of the Port, with a salary of $5 000 a year, but the extra $2,000 is worth trying for, especially so as the prestige of Collector is greater than that of any other official in the Federal building. Spear's program is said to include his own selection as Collector and then the appointment of Billy Hamilton as Surveyor in his stead. In this way it is thought that a double play can be made, for Hamilton is to a certain extent on the hands of both Senator Perkins and the President owing to the fact that Hamilton was originally slated for Naval Officer to succeed Colonel John Irish. So much pressure was brought to bear upon the President in Irish's behalf, however, that he positively declined to oust him, but said that if any other place could be found for Hamilton he would appoint him to it.

It looks, therefore, as if Colonel Jackson's death clears the way of both these difficulties, but there is one hitch in the arrangements, and that is that Hamilton himself aspires to chief honors as Collector. At present he is cashier in the Custom House with a salary of $3,000, so an elevation that would give him more than twice his present income is at least worth trying hard for.

There are others, however, to be considered. John L. Dare, who as Appraiser gets a salary of $3,625, has thrown out his net and is doing all he can to land the prize, while Stanley Jackson, the dead Collector's son and at present acting Collector, would like to exchange his present $3,625 position as deputy for the main thing. E. B. Jerome, the chief clerk and Special Deputy Collector of the Customs Service, with a salary of $4,000 a year, is also in line, so the appraisers' building has not been chary about yielding candidates for the dead man's shoes

There is another Richmond on hand, too, who from one standpoint overshadows all the others in importance. It is Colonel George Stone, the Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee and ex-President of the National League of Republican Clubs. Stone is certainly in a position to do more wire pulling than any of the others, for as head of the Republican organization in California, McKinley's political destinies in the State are naturally more or less in his hands. Stone has been mentioned a good deal of late for Governor to succeed Gage, but he would rather land a sure thing than have to go before the people and face the uncertainty of an election, especially so, as if he were appointed now he would assuredly get a full four years' term upon the re-election of McKinley.

In view of the rivalry in question some have thought that the President would not make any appointment to the vacancy until after the election, and thus avoid the possibility of making enemies at the last moment. However, as the office is such an important one and the Collector's signature is so much in demand on documents involving large property interests, it is not generally believed that there will be any delay, but rather that the appointment may be expected at any moment.

POLITICIANS ARE BUSY.

An important development came to the surface today in connection with the place. It is learned that Major Frank McLaughlin, ex-chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, is being urged for the vacancy, with good prospects of success.

As the Major conducted the campaign for McKinley four years ago and is further personally liked by the President and the powers that be at Washington, it is thought that he may be the lucky man.

He is a staunch friend of Senator Perkins and it is likely the Alameda will make a personal fight for the Major in return.

Speaking of politics generally is not necessary to state that everything is about as lively right now as could be. Now that the nominations are all made for local, Legislative and Congressional officers the candidates are down to business and the campaign card is fast getting abroad in the land. The national end of it is of course causing the firing of all the big guns and bringing about the surface expressions of enthusiasm, but where the fine work is being done is in the individual fights that are in progress locally.

As the contest develops it is becoming more patent that the struggle between Kahn and Ashe in the Fourth District is going to be a neck-and-neck one. Each man is resorting to every possible means of vote getting, and in a sense it is amusing to see them acting as mourners at funerals, participating in meetings of the Peddlers and Scavengers' Unions, hobnobbing with sailors and longshoremen on the waterfront, posing as orators of the day at Portuguese, Italian and Mexican picnics, and by many other such devices trying to get in touch with the voters. It is a queer district to handle anyhow, owing to its large percentage of Latin population, and that is why a different kind of fight has to be put up there than in any other part of the State.

Kahn has scored quite a card during the week by his organization of a Business Men's Club, but Ashe is going to try to offset it by personal work among the same element. The Democratic candidate is, however, facing a handicap in the efforts of Dr. C. C. O'Donnell to be elected as an independent, for O'Donnell belongs to Ashe's own party and is seeking to draw votes from that source. As a matter of fact, the veteran doctor is indulging in personal attacks upon Ashe, and his tirades may be heard nightly from the wagon on which he makes his canvass at the various street corners of his district.

THE OTHER DISTRICTS.

Reports at the headquarters of both the Republican and Democratic parties show that the other Congressional candidates are making things hum. In the Second Woods does not propose to allow Sproul to get any the better of him as far as personal work is concerned, and he is making a town to town crusade, his itinerary including every mining camp and village in the district. As the Democratic nominee is pursuing like tactics, there is every indication that another close vote will result up that way with the balance in Wood's favor, in view of the Republican landslide that is anticipated this year.

The Third District is rarely mentioned when the fights are being discussed, for the reason that everyone regards it as a foregone conclusion that Victor Metcalf will carry it. Frank Freeman, the Democratic nominee, is out campaigning hard enough, having put in the whole week in Lake county, but nobody concedes him even a ghost of a chance.

As a matter of fact, outside of the Second and Fourth Districts the fights are not regarded very seriously for Republican success seems positively assured in all but those two, and fairly so as far as they are concerned.

LEGISLATIVE WRANGLES.

Some of the Legislative contests are likewise in an interesting shape, none more so perhaps than the set-to between Belshaw and Wilkins for the Senatorship from Contra Costa and Marin. While Belshaw has Contra Costa tied up fast enough, his acquaintance is very limited in Marin, and as that county is Wilkins' home and headquarters as Prison Director, the Democrats are hoping to offset Belshaw there. Belshaw claims to have discovered a conspiracy whereby certain prominent Republicans leaders in Marin have combined to throw the vote to Wilkins, and he proposes to run it down and upset the calculations if there is any way to do so. Usually Contra Costa and Marin counties return Republican majorities of about 350, so as Belshaw is sure to hold his own in Contra Costa, he would not only have to lose the 350 Republican majority in Marin, but it would have to be converted into a Democratic majority in order to bring about Wilkins' election. This he considers a sheer impossibility unless his party throws him down altogether in that part of the district, and he says he will make things hum if they do.

THE EXAMINER AND PHELAN.

The mix-up in local Democratic circles is going to bring about some interesting complications in the future, for now that the Examiner has turned its batteries upon Phelan instead of supporting him, there will be a general changing of the political chess board. Ever since Phelan got into public life the Examiner has stood at his back and made his fights, and the regard in which he was held by Hearst is shown by his appointment as California organizer of the National Democratic Clubs of which Hearst is President.

Those who have been watching Phelan's course during the past few months have been convinced, though, that sooner or later he would antagonize the Examiner, as he had already done many of his former friends. So the crash was not altogether unexpected. The prophets say that it rings the death knell of Phelan's political ambitions for many years to come, for with the opposition of the leading Democratic paper in the State to contend with as well as the feeling against him in the party ranks, it is useless for him to aspire to be Senator, while the Governorship or even another term as Mayor can also be considered out of the question.

However, Phelan's resources are many, and as they include that all important one of money, he will not be buried so easily as some people imagine. He is credited with an income of $60,000 a month, and as he is a single man, the entire amount is practically at his command. His plans for the future are said to include the founding of another Democratic paper in San Francisco, for although he is backed by the Bulletin, he is not in a position to dictate to it. It will be remembered that a few weeks ago the rumor went around that a new Democratic paper was under consideration, backed by Edelman and a few other local politicians, and with Leigh Irvine as editor-in-chief. This scheme, however, was more talk than anything else, and it quickly fell through—a fate that is likely to attend the venture credited to Phelan, for it would be a mighty big task for anyone to attempt to fight the Examiner on Democratic grounds nowadays.

LOTS OF RED PAINT.

The Masons are making elaborate preparations for their trip to the Hawaiian Islands next month, the date for which has by the way been postponed from the 7th to the 11th inst. Although the object of the expedition is to institute a mystic shrine in Honolulu, most of the entertainment will consist of the sea trip, for all insist on being back in time to vote on November 6th.

The Entertainment Committee has about completed its program, which will be published before starting and which includes special features for each evening on board the ship, such as mock trials, theatrical sketches, concerts, dances, etc. A little item so far unknown save to the members of the Refreshment Committee, who planned it, is that $10,000 worth of champagne is to be taken aboard for consumption during the trip. When asked if this feature of the arrangements was not an excessive one the member of the committee interviewed offered to make a wager that not a bottle will be unemptied when the Zealandia docks at San Francisco again. So it can be seen that the Shriners are figuring on a bang-up time.

A HOSTELRY TO CLOSE.

Those who have of late years been guests at the Hotel Mateo in San Mateo county will be surprised to hear that it is to be closed Monday next, that is, as far as the present management is concerned. The property is part of the Lee estate, and as that estate is somewhat cramped for ready money, there is no way of making necessary improvements to the hotel, and hence it will have to be shut down. W. G. Graham, who has been running it, contemplates going into business in San Francisco, and though there is a probability that the Lee estate will put in a member of the family and keep it open, nothing definite is as yet known on that score. A year or so ago when offers were made to them for the purchase of the property they held out for $50,000, but they would be glad enough now to let it go as it stands for about $20,000 less than that amount.

HERE AND THERE.

Editor De Young of the Chronicle is expected in town within a couple of weeks.

Chas. E. Green of the Crocker estate is heading for California again, having done the European continent pretty extensively in company with Charles Templeton Crocker.

S. C. McAfee is putting in a couple of weeks at Bakersfield on some oil business.

HATTON.

HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN LONDON

LONDON, Sept. 29—The election campaign is developing unexpected heat, chiefly due to the vigorous efforts of the Liberals to show a united front. Personalities are figuring more than usual in the contests. Joseph Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, by reason of the aggressive tone of all his speeches, is the object of many bitter personal attacks. Some of his enemies have declared him to be politically dishonest, and even go further than that.

Winston Churchill, in Oldham, has been so vigorously attacked that Sir General Evelyn Wood, the Adjutant-General had to come to his assistance with a letter declaring there was nothing dishonorable connected with his resignation from the army and vouching for the correctness of Churchill's dual role of officer and correspondent. Some of the Liberals of Oldham apparently make more serious insinuations against the young candidate, but, like his father, Churchill seems to revel in a fight and is said to stand a good chance of being elected.

Another war character, Captain Lambton of the British cruiser Powerful, has been assisted in his fight against the government by getting a letter from Lord Rosebery. He is also backed by all the aristocratic interests.

Church associations are figuring actively in the campaign. The Imperial Protestant Federation has promises from 300 candidates to oppose to the utmost any movement tending to bring England and the Vatican in closer touch or towards "Romanizing" the established church. On the other hand the leading Roman Catholic papers almost unanimously support the Conservatives believing that if they are returned with a solid majority they will achieve the project of giving Ireland a Catholic University and in other ways see that the educational interests of Catholics in England do not suffer.

CHURCH CONGRESS.

The annual church congress, in progress at Newcastle, was attended by the Archbishop of Canterbury and nearly all the other Episcopal and lay dignitaries, including several American and Canadian clergymen. Though held in the midst of the election excitement, politics were carefully avoided and the proceedings were marked by unexpected harmony. The spectacle of John Kensit, the anti-ritualist agitator, speaking good-humoredly before ritualists upon the effect of the reformation suggested to a writer, the lion lying down with the lamb.

Dr. Dewitt Talmage has returned to London after an extended trip through Europe, from which he has benefited considerably. He preaches in Wesley's old chapel, London, in September 30th, and then goes to Ireland. There he will address meetings at Belfast and Dublin, whence he returns to the United States.

The Queen now has a long list of names submitted to her as those of persons worthy of honors for service in South Africa. The identity of those who figure in this list is already causing keen speculation in certain circles. The shower of C. B's (Companion of the Bath), C. M. G's (Companion of St. Michael and St. George), etc., will be unprecedented. It is rumored that Lord Wolseley will be made an Earl and be appointed Viceroy of Ireland, to succeed Earl Cadogan, whose resignation seems impending. What Lord Roberts will get still remains a secret, but Lord Kitchener, it is said, if he remains in South Africa, will be given the local rank of a full General, so that he can be second in command to General Buller after Lord Roberts leaves.

LORD WOLSELEY'S DREAM.

Lord Wolseley, by the way, is quoted in an interview as saying that China, "through love of art and nature, must one day develop into a great nation." The end of all things, in Lord Wolseley's opinion, will be China fighting the United States for the supremacy of the world.

Two new weeklies are about to appear. The first is Clement Scott's Free Lance, which will be published next year, with an article by Mario Corelli as the chief attraction. The second is a new society paper, which Mrs. Williamson is about to bring out. Mrs. Williamson is a young woman of exceptional social position, the wife of a Colonel in the British army, and has many influential friends here and in America interested in the celebrated Book of Beauty and the usual dramatic exposures follow, ending in the philosophic determination of both women concerned to make the best of a bad job. It was well received and contains delightful touches of humor and some particularly strong scenes. The critics differ in their opinions several maintaining that the material would make a good book, but it shows Barrie's weakness as a playwright. However, it is an assured success. H. B. Irving and Violet Van Brugh have the leading parts.

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THEATRICAL NOTES.

All London theaters continue to play to crowded houses and new pieces are rapidly making their appearance. The most notable of these is J. M. Barrie's "The Wedding Guest," which was produced for the first time at the Garrick Theater Thursday evening. It is the old story of the betrayal of an innocent Scotch lassie by an artist, with this new feature, that he promises his victim, who professes to have lost her love for him, that he will never marry another woman. He breaks his promise and the usual dramatic exposures follow, ending in the philosophic determination of both women concerned to make the best of a bad job. It was well received and contains delightful touches of humor and some particularly strong scenes. The critics differ in their opinions several maintaining that the material would make a good book, but it shows Barrie's weakness as a playwright. However, it is an assured success. H. B. Irving and Violet Van Brugh have the leading parts.

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MUST RECOGNIZE MINERS' UNION.

PORTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 29.—The conviction is growing that it will be next to impossible to settle the strike on any basis not including a recognition of the United Mine Workers. The strike was ordered and subsequently managed by the leaders of this organization, the strikers are following almost unanimously the advice and mandates of these leaders, and it is generally believed here that the men will not go back to the mines until they get word to do so from Mitchell.

In the vicinity of Shamokin a number of men representing the operators have been making efforts to have the men promise to return to work on October 1st. Few, if any such promises were secured, and most of the miners approached, looked upon the offers of the mine owners to make certain concessions as a sign of weakening.

In the lower section of the Schuylkill region the story that negroes were to be imported from Virginia to take the places of the strikers has been revived and considerably discussed. A rumor was current that some of the operators had actually arranged with agents of men in Virginia who make a business of supplying negro labor to import a large number of colored men here to work in the mines. Mine owners and strike leaders pronounce the story ridiculous. In the first place, they say, inexperienced negroes, or white men for that matter, would be almost worthless in the mines, and it would require a long time to make any large body of such men useful in cutting coal. In the next place, even the mine owners admit that such a move would precipitate almost a revolution, which would involve not only the negroes and strikers but all the workingmen of this State.

A complete tie-up of the Schuylkill collieries, possibly excepting the three mines in the west end, is in sight. About 400 cars of coal were mined in the Schuylkill region yesterday. This is the smallest day's production in years. Dealers made many offers for coal at the mines at prices representing an increase over the offers made yesterday. For some grades an increase of 25 cents a ton over the prices of yesterday was offered.

There is, however, virtually no coal in the market at the mines, that mined having been disposed of before it was cut and none of the operators would contract to deliver.

FREE TUITION FOR TEN PORTO RICANS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—The Trustees of the University of Chicago at a meeting held last night decided to give free tuition to ten of the Porto Ricans who wish to be educated in this country provided their living expenses are furnished by public spirited citizens. This action was taken in compliance with a request from M. G. Bumbaugh, United States Commissioner of Education at San Juan, Porto Rico.

NEW CALIFORNIA ROAD PROMOTERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—The Record today says: Promoters of the proposed railroad between Salt Lake City and Los Angeles will meet in this city today. Among them will be William A. Clark the Montana millionaire; Richard C. Kerens, Republican National Committeeman and capitalist of St. Louis; T. E. Gibbon, vice-president of the Los Angeles Terminal Company, and J. Ross Clark of Los Angeles.

CHINA GIVEN AN ULTIMATUM.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A special to the Times from Washington says:

If the protest regarding the appointment of Prince Tuan forwarded by Minister Wu Ting Fang remains without effect and Tuan is kept in the Privy Council, the United States will refuse to negotiate with China unless assurances are given that the action of the envoys shall not be subject to review by the Chinese Emperor.

This is an unusual step, but the circumstances of the case are held to make it necessary. In the ordinary course of diplomatic procedure a sovereign would have the right to accept or reject a treaty negotiated by his envoys. If Tuan is kept in the Privy Council, it is certain that the peace treaty would have to pass through his hands in order to get to the Emperor, and to prevent that the United States will insist that the Emperor divest himself of all powers by making those of Prince Ching and Earl Li absolute.

When Ching and Li were first appointed the Chinese papers announcing their appointment were somewhat ambiguous. Some of the powers were told that Li and Ching were invested with full authority to negotiate peace, while others were told that their proceedings were subject to review by the Emperor. It is learned today that the United States insisted on a definite understanding, with the result that the powers of Ching and Li were broadly defined by the Chinese government. Before negotiating, however, the United States will insist on having it definitely understood that no papers shall pass through the Privy Council.

This is all based on the assumption that the Chinese government will refuse to dismiss the new Privy Councillor. It is absolutely necessary that such a demand should be made, for the reason that the first demand of the peace envoys will be for the degradation of Tuan and the punishment of the Boxer chiefs, and it is evidently impossible that such a demand should be submitted to him for transmission to the Emperor.

Nothing is known here of the alleged appointment of Wang Wen Chao to succeed Tuan in the Privy Council. Wang has been described as friendly to the foreigners, and the fabricated story about the massacre of the Ministers in Peking told how Wang was killed at the head of his troops, while bravely defending the legations. Nothing is known of his attitude at the State Department and the Government officials have no knowledge of his views except those obtained from the reports sent in by the Shanghai correspondents at the time of the imaginary massacre.

BRITISH TAKE THE PORCUPINE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—A special to the Record from Vancouver, B. C., says:

A dispatch received here last evening dated from the British Commissioner's camp near Porcupine City, Alaska, says that Archie Martin, Justice of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and head of the British Commissioners, raised the British flag on September 17th. He took possession of that portion of the Porcupine district recently declared to be in British territory, at least for the time being, by the international boundary commission. He then declared that the Americans, who own all the claims in this district, should at once apply to have their titles confirmed by this commission.

In the Divorce Courts.

Marie A. Loveland has been granted a divorce by Judge Hall from J. F. Loveland. Extreme cruelty was the charge. Mrs. Loveland is awarded the custody of the minor children and $40 a month alimony.

A default judgment has been entered against B. T. Norris in the divorce action brought against him by Caroline Norris.

Social Democrats.

Col. Harry Weinstock will address the Social Democrats in Becker's Hall, 818 Washington street, tomorrow at 8 o'clock P. M. The subject will be "Some Weak Points of Socialism."

LIBERALS ARE FIGHTING HARD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

Public interest is now centered upon the elections, to the exclusion of everything else. There is still a good deal of uncertainty about nominations for as many as eight county divisions, but the results of the uncontested elections will not differ materially from those in 1895. The Unionists then had, outside of Ireland, a majority of 110 on uncontested seats. They can not have a majority of more than 130 now on uncontested seats, outside of Ireland, and it will probably be cut down below 120.

The Liberals have not been without resources for bringing candidates into the field, and Herbert Gladstone has thrown his influence in favor of the Liberal Imperialists, who are prominent figures in the Liberal campaign. Captain Lambton, at Newcastle, is the most conspicuous candidate on the Liberal side, and his speeches are delivered with the authority of the quarterdeck and are supported by his unique experience on the ramparts of Ladysmith. Even at Northampton the Imperialist Bowman and the radical lamb are lying down together, and at Caithness Dr. Clark is hotly opposed by a Liberal Imperialist. The Unionists have been disconcerted by this sudden access of Liberal spirit and find the opposition candidates in the majority of the contested boroughs and districts as fully committed as themselves to the annexation of the Dutch republics. The effect would be paralleled if half of the electors and candidates for Congress on the Bryan side were suddenly to accept Republican principles of finance and McKinley's policies for Cuba and the Philippines.

Whatever may be the Unionist majority in the next Parliament there will be no reversal of policies in South Africa for the Liberal imperialists will be in control of the opposition benches.

Silas Bean Buried.

The funeral of Silas Bean, the student brakeman who was killed by the cars at Lorenzo, took place from his home on Tenth street yesterday afternoon. He did not belong to any of the railroad men's brotherhoods but many of the members of these organizations were present. They also raised $100 for the relief of the widow of the deceased.

Rev. M. H. Alexander of the Chester street church officiated. The pall-bearers were A. H. Clark, L. F. Clark, Ed James and D. R. Ellis. Burial was at Mountain View Cemetery.

HOT AIR AND HOT WATER

Furnaces and apparatus—we have them, and we make a specialty of putting them in your home so they will be a comfort to you and a joy forever. You cannot do without either of them—at least one of the other. It is a little warm now, but remember this condition of the weather won't last long. Before the cool and rainy weather sets in you had better consult us in reference to making your house warm and comfortable. The expense is not much—more convenient than fuel, and cheaper. Have E. R. Tust, 111 and 113 Thirteenth street, near Washington.

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How a Crooked Coin Brought Luck to Its Finder

"Of course I believe in luck," said Professor Pimley. "A man's a fool that doesn't. The only reason so many people scoff at it is that shiftlessness and incompetence are always using it as a masquerade. But everybody knows that one man can crowd a lifetime of effective work into ten years, and luck will step in and divide the result by a hundred. Another chap will do a few easy things when it's too wet for golf, and along comes luck and multiplies what he's done by a thousand, and people will call it by everything but its right name.

"I knew a half-starved Greek emigrant who happened to start a two-by-four banana stand in front of Park street church, Boston, because the spot was partly sheltered from the wind. The next day men began burrowing in the earth a mile away and eighteen months later they opened the principal entrance of the subway within seventy-five feet of his stand, and 50,000 people passed by it twice a day. Today he has two stores and six clerks and rides in a carriage with a purple and gold sash across his chest when the Greeks give a parade. Did prudence or foresight or keeping everlastingly at it have anything to do with that? Then there was poor old Sanderson, who slaved and starved for twelve years perfecting his mattress machine, and saved the work of ten men, and the day after he got it straight he stopped in front of a cable car, and his assistant mechanic took out the patents and keeps a racing stud on the royalties.

"Believe in luck? You ask my friend Van Beek. Yes, Harvey Van Beek of the Western Pacific, Mexican Central, and others. Old Van Beek, Harvey's father, was the senior partner of Van Beek & Scott, cardboard manufacturers. Scott was a poor cousin to whom old Van taught the business and whom he had taken in partnership. But Scott learned more things than the cardboard business. The old man died when Harvey was a freshman in college, leaving practically nothing but his share in the business, which Scott continued to run for Harvey's mother. Van Beek's estate got about fifteen thousand a year out of it for the first year or two. Then it began to shrink. When Harvey graduated he went to Scott and asked him to take him in. But Scott was strong against it. He said the business offered no sort of a career for an ambitious young man. So Harvey went back and began to study law.

"About this time the business began to shrink in earnest. From $15,000 a year the Van Beek profits went down to $2,000. The Van Beeks made a fuss, but Scott was too careful a business man to be troubled by that. The second year Harvey was studying law it paid them $800, so Harvey broke off and got a job in a stock broker's office. A few months later Scott sold out the business and gave Mrs Van Beek $2,000 as her share of the proceeds. He said it had dried up. Six weeks later the cardboard trust was formed. Scott was president and his eldest son treasurer. Then the Van Beeks litigated for a few years, but there was no results beyond lawyers' fees. Scott began to loom big in Wall street.

"Harvey did so well at stockbroking that he was earning $1,800 at the end of two years. Then he married an awfully nice girl, and a year later, just after a pair of twins were born, the stockbrokerage firm went to pieces in the panic of '93, and Harvey went looking for a job. Times were bad and jobs weren't easy to find, but six months later he got into the Union Pacific as transfer clerk. Three months after that the Union Pacific was consolidated and Harvey was tipped out. He tramped the streets for a while and then struck a job as bookkeeper for a tow-boat company—hours 5 a. m. to 8 p. m.—salary $10 per week. After holding this down for a winter he took the grip and was laid up a couple of months, losing his job in consequence.

"When he got up again he was somewhat depressed. He needed a change of scene and ease of mind, and time to convalesce leisurely, but these things weren't exactly available. Instead he dragged himself around town every day, hunting for something to do, and at night lay awake counting up his debts and trying to see ahead. He didn't find anything to do. Business men as a rule are not impressed by hollow-eyed, emaciated invalids. The twins were sick regularly, and people who knew Harvey's wife before he was married would never have recognized her.

"They began to turn household furniture into bread and meat and rent. Likewise wedding silver. People who have never had to part with wedding silver under similar circumstances have no idea what heart-breaking sentimental stuff it is. The time came when it was all gone, and there was not enough furniture left to furnish a good sized room. Harvey might have called on his mother for a little help, but she had moved down to her native town in Maine, taking her two daughters with her, and they had troubles of their own.

"Harvey's digestion gave out and he had splitting headaches in the back of his head. His doctor said that if he didn't quit worrying he wouldn't be responsible. Harvey's landlord also expressed himself. They were living at this time in a $12 a-month flat, and the landlord said that if their two months' arrears weren't settled up by the first they have to vacate. Harvey told his wife to stop crying. He said they seemed to touch bottom, so there wasn't anything for their luck to do but take a change in the right direction. Then he went out to take a walk—and think.

"Half an hour later he came back and held up before his wife a disfigured 1-cent piece.

"'I found it,' he said. 'I told you our luck had changed.'

"'Very small change,' said his wife, who was a thoroughbred.

"'Oh, you don't know about this penny,' said Harvey. 'It's a crooked one, you see, and I found it on the southwest corner of the street. And when I picked it up and looked around there was the moon shining right up over my right shoulder, and full as a goat. When a thing like that happens all you've got to do is to follow it up.'

"His wife smiled a very little.

"'Will you go down to Swartzman's,' she said, 'and tell him we'll take the dollar he offered us for the kitchen table and three chairs and clock and oil stove? The twins are crying for their supper.'

"Harvey put the cent in his pocket and walked out. On the next corner a man rushed up to him and wrung his hand.

"'Good Lord Van Beek, old man, is that you? I've been trying to run across you for three years. You look peaked. What's the matter? Been sick?'

"Harvey recognized a college friend one Miller. He said he had been a trifle under the weather.

"'Well say,' said Miler, taking out his pocketbook. 'I'm awfully sorry about the time I've taken to pay that $50 you were kind enough to let me have. But you seemed to have dropped off the earth.'

"'Did I let you have $50?' asked Harvey.

"'Why, yes,' said Miller. 'Don't you remember? just before we left the law school.'

"Harvey remembered.

"'No especial hurry about it, he said, ready to spring.

"'I guess it's time I paid up,' said Miller. 'And I'm terribly obliged.'

"Harvey didn't go to Swartzman's. He went to the butcher's, the baker's, and the grocer's instead, and lugged the basket home himself. His wife looked frightened when she heard the story. But her alarm did not impair her appetite.

"The next morning Harvey got her to heat an iron and press his coat and create his trousers.

"'It won't do to let this thing get cold' said Harvey.

"'What are you going to do now?' asked his wife.

"'I'm going in to see Scott,' said Harvey. 'He can give me any one of a dozen places, and I think I'll be able to show him that it's up to him. It's a sort of a bitter pill, but there are bitterer.'

"His wife looked dobutful.

"'I wouldn't put too much of a strain on my luck,' she said.

"This wasn't his father's former partner that Harvey was going to see. Old Scott had died a couple of years before, and his oldest son had stepped into his shoes and proved himself a bigger man than his father. Where the old man had done shrewd things in stocks the young man juggled a whole section of the stock market. The Scott pile was already placed at some $10,000,000 or so and climbing every day.

"Harvey cooled his heels for an hour in an outer office before he was let into the big man's presence.

"'H'ar'y,' said Scott, in answer to Harvey's greeting. 'What can I do for you?'

"The tone was not encouraging. Harvey sat down, without an invitation, gave a few unadorned facts of what he had been up against the last few years, and said he was looking for a job, and looking hard.

"Scott smiled and partly closed his eyes.

"'And you don't think it's a bit nervy to come looking for it in here?' he said. 'I believe you people were going to make the old man disgorge his stealings or hold him up to infamy. Well, that dodge didn't work worth a cent, did it? So now it's the friendship game.'

"Scott laughed through his nose. Harvey swallowed hard.

"'Scott,' he said, 'whatever the merits of that cardboard muss, the fact stands that my father gave yours his start. I've been a sick man for three years, and I'm in a desperate way. That's the basis I've come to you on.'

"'There are others,' said Scott wearily. 'I'm sorry, but very busy.'

"At that moment a breathless clerk burst into the room.

"'Mr. Reynolds says will Mr. Scott come over as quick as he can,' gasped the boy.

"Scott sprang up and hurried out without another glance at Harvey. Harvey sat still for a moment thinking of his wife's strained eyes. Then he got up and walked idly to the window, wondering what he had done with his hat. At that instant there was another interruption. The door of the office opened, and a prosperous-looking middle-aged man entered briskly.

"'Ah, Mr. Scott,' he said, 'they weren't sure in the outer office whether you were in or not. Let me introduce myself—Mr. Tate, the new junior partner of Storrow, Van Jick & Co. Mr Van Jick has asked me to wait at once and say that, thanks to your efforts, Freylingham promises to sign the Consolidated Tubing agreement this afternoon. Mr Van Jick thought that you might want to take on a few hundred shares.'

"Harvey was about to explain that he was not Scott, but after a flash of hesitation he did not. Instead he walked leisurely over in and sat down in Scott's chair.

"'What is Consolidated Tubing this morning, Mr. Tate?' he asked quietly.

"'Seventy-five and three-eighths opening,' said the new junior partner.

"'It ought—it ought to go up how much by to-morrow morning, if Freylingham signs?'

"The new junior partner looked surprised.

"'Why, to 120—where it started,' he said.

"Harvey regarded him for full a minute out of dull eyes.

"'Buy 5,000 for me,' he said, 'and close them out at 115.'

"The junior partner pulled out a memorandum book and wrote hurriedly.

"'You have the courage of your convictions, Mr. Scott,' he said.

"'Oh, by the way,' said Harvey, 'you may place to the account of Harvey Van Beek. Yes, that will be best. Be sure and get that straight—V-a-n B-double e-k. You understand?'

"The junior partner nodded shrewdly.

"'Harvey Van Beek. Certainly. I understand. Good morning.'

"Harvey was dripping with perspiration when he came down the steps from Scott's office. He walked the streets the rest of the day instead of going home to luncheon, occasionally shaking like a man with the ague. At 3 o'clock he bought a paper, and the first thing he saw on the financial page was that Scott had taken an early afternoon train for Philadelphia. Whereupon Harvey took out his crooked cent and looked at it and then went somewhere to get a bracer.

"The next morning he was in the shadow of the visitors' gallery at the stock exchange watching the riot as Consolidated Tubing soared. At 11 o'clock, after making sure that Tate, the new junior partner, was still on the floor, he hurried over to Storrow Van Jick & Co's and closed his account.

"When Scott got back from Philadelphia there was a stormy interview in the same office.

"'He was in your private office and at your desk,' said the new junior partner, 'and your clerks sent me in. It's an extraordinary thing but it doesn't seem as though the carelessness were on this side.'

"'One hundred and ninety thousand dollars!' shouted Scott. 'By Jupiter! I'll send him up for fifteen years for embezzlement.'

"'I'm not so sure,' said Storrow, the senior partner. 'In the first place, he has just gone abroad with his family. In the second place it wasn't embezzlement. He didn't represent himself as Mr. Scott, did he, Mr. Tate?'

"'Why, no,' said the new junior partner. 'There was no question about it.'

"'Exactly,' said Storrow. 'He ordered 5,000 Consolidated Tubing in his own name, sold them in his own name, and put the proceeds into his own pocket.'

"'It doesn't even seem to be false pretenses,' said Tate.

"'Well, what inthunder was it, then?' demanded Scott.

"Storrow, the senior partner, only smiled grimly. 'But you ask Harvey Van Beek what he thinks it was.'—Chicago Inter Ocean.

STORY OF ONE OF GEN. CHAFFEE'S INDIAN FIGHTS

On the writing desk in the Minneapolis home of a retired army officer of a gallant record is a peculiar inkstand. Close scrutiny develops the fact that the receptacle for ink is a section of human vertebra, which from exposure to the weather, made to serve its purpose through mounting in silver upon a polished wooden base. It is highly valued by its owner, for it is a memento of a fight wherein he participated—a fight such as soldiers rarely know, one of the hottest in the history of Southwestern Indian warfare. It brings up memories of Chaffee, the heroic, now fighting in China.

The fight was the battle of the "Big Dry Wash." Though the action has but little fame with the general public, its memory is cherished by cavalrymen as one of the most gallant known to their arm of the service. Particularly did it demonstrate the effectiveness of the American horse soldier and his ability to beat even the Apache on the trail and in the fray. When grass time came in the summer of 1882 about 150 Apaches, three-fourths of them mature bucks, left the White mountain reservation on the Gila river in Arizona. They started off immediately after ration day, well supplied with food and ammunition. It was in the days of civilian Indian agents. The godly man in charge at the San Carlos agency, when advised that some of his wards had decamped, only expressed his sorrow that such lies could gain currency, to the discredit of a peaceful and long suffering tribe.

The Indians passed the populous copper mining camp of Globe at a distance of only a few miles, gathering in about all the horse herds of the neighborhood. A platoon of the local home guard, the Globe Rangers, was hastily mobilized and was started off to head the Apaches, recover the horses and warn the settlers in Tonto basin. The warning was given, for the rangers, by hard riding, managed to beat the Indians into the basin. But next day they were penned, twenty-five of them, in a cabin on Middleton's ranch, to fight a long-ranged fight in which no one was killed and to watch the Indians stampede their horse herd. But the rangers did good work, in that they delayed the Indians a day. Leaving the rangers to return, crestfallen, on foot, the Apaches passed on up Cherry creek.

The settlers had been alarmed and had fled in time to save on one ranch. The two Sigsby brothers had about 100 valuable horses and had taken time to gather them up from the range. The band was being held in front of the ranch house ready to be driven away, when down the valley came the thud of horses' feet. Driven by a few daring bucks, the Indian herd of loose ponies dashed into the Sigsby band and stampeded the horses up a side canyon. One of the Sigsby brothers and a French cowboy, named Hondon, mounted and started after. At the top of the canyon they met death, though not till they had exhausted their ammunition and sent five Indians to the happy hunting grounds. The Indians then turned their undivided attention toward the second Sigsby, who had been "creased" across the chest by a rifle bullet as he ran for the log house.

Sigsby's defense of the cabin was glorious. Though painfully wounded, for forty hours, single-handed, sleepless, he stood off at least 100 Apaches, thirsting for his blood, enraged at the continued resistance. The cabin walls and doors were perforated by hundreds of bullets, but to no avail. But the Indians could not tarry longer. The troops were on their trail and the smoke signals on the peaks showed impending danger. In the night they gathered up the bodies of the several warriors whom Sigsby had shot and hurried away northward. Sigsby had done even better than the rangers. The cavalry was close behind.

At that time, Chaffee, a Sixth cavalry major, was in command of the little three troop post of McDowell, thirty-five miles northeast of Phoenix, then a village. Getting wind of the outbreak he joyously sounded "boots and saddle" and with half his garrison cut across the high Mazatzal range, past deserted Fort Reno, through Tono Creek valley and over the Sierra Anchas. He arrived at Sigsby's only a few hours after the last Indian had departed and it was his hand that first shook that of the brave frontiersman. But there was work for him ahead. Leaving Sigsby to bury his dead, he pushed on at a killing pace. Thirty-two miles were covered in five hours over the roughest of mountain paths. Soon the trail was lined with worn out and discarded troop horses. But Chaffee, shrewd campaigner, had brought with him from McDowell five extra mounts.

Indian videttes on mountain tops telegraphed ahead by fire and smoke and blanket signals the coming of the galloping troopers. The Indians turned aside into one of the great canyons that indent the cliffs of the "rim" of the Mongohan plateau. They had found they outnumbered Chaffee's exhausted men, and determined to make a stand. In the middle of the "Big Dry Wash" was a rocky hill, several hundred feet high, that absolutely commanded the entrance to the gorge. Chaffee's eye was too keen for success to attend the anticipated ambush. He dismounted his men under cover and, leaving one-fourth of his little command with the horses, stormed the hill with the remainder. His reception was warm. The battle, from rock to rock, had raged for two hours. The Indians were still on the summit. Chaffee with a score of disabled men was in hard traits. Retreat was practically impossible and the enemy was beginning the flank. The fire of the Apaches was becoming truer. They were mainly armed with the old-fashioned 50 caliber "Long Tom" Springfield rifle, an excellent weapon. The cavalrymen had the lighter 45-caliber Springfield carbin. The advantage was with the Apaches and the men were beginning to think their end would be that of their comrades of the Seventh in their memorable fight on the Little Big Horn.

Suddenly as joyful a sound as the pipes at Lucknow, a cavalry trumpet sounded at the foot of the gorge. No other troops were known to be within fifty miles of the spot, yet, to the rear a squadron was dismounting and forming to fight on foot. Up the gulch came three swallow-tailed guidons of the Third cavalry, in a howling, running line, led by the familiar figure of stalwart old Captain Wallace. The Indians overmatched, yet unwilling to lose what they had thought their prey, sullenly and slowly retreated, firing from behind every boulder. The end of the hill was passed, the vantage ground was with the whites. The Apaches broke and ran for cover in the rocks at the side of the gorge. But the fire of the advancing force was too heavy and too accurate. Leaving horses and supplies, the Apaches wildly fled, each for himself, scaling the steep sides of the canyon. They climbed the cliffs like flies, to be picked off by scores of relentless riflemen below. A few escaped, but most of the survivors about dark dropped their rifles, came out of the holes they had scopped in the hillside and surrendered.

Not till then did the officers and men of the different commands hammer one another on the backs and demand explanations. They were simple, though the combination at that point seemed nothing short of miraculous. Wallace, in command at Fort Verde, about ninety miles to the west, had been informed of the route of the hostiles and had been dispatched to head them off. He lost some time by a false trail near Fossil creek, but later swung eastward through Green and Pleasant valleys and struck Chaffee's trail and his scores of discarded charges. He was soon joined by a scouting force from Fort Apache from the east, comprising a company of White mountain Apache scouts and some cavalrymen, officered by Lieutenants Morgan and Converse. And the combined force pushed on at top speed to arrive in the nick of time.

The Apache scouts belonged to an antagonistic division of the tribe and rendered the best of service in the fray. One of the scouts incidentally was the "Kid," the Apache who later went on the warpath alone and to whom are charged more than twenty murders.

Lieutenant Morgan came out of the fight with a severe wound below the shoulder. Armed with a repeating rifle, an express, shooting expanding bullets, he crouched behind a boulder and sniped away at the black spots that bobbed around the edges of the great rocks across the gulch. He noticed that an Apache almost opposite him was doing some some very shooting in his direction. Exposing himself a little more than he should, he waited for Mr. Apache to raise his head. The moment came, the edge of the Apache's red turban came into view, and Morgan fired. As his finger pressed the trigger, a flanking or ricochet shot from the rifle of some unreckoned warrior, struck him and he dropped.

It was in '91 that Morgan returned to the scene of the fight in the "Big Dry Wash." With him was Jack Hicks, who had been with Wallace as a scout, but who is now an affluent cattle owner. They searched the battlefield over, noting the cartridge shells and broken accouterments that still littered the points where the memorable day had been warmest. They found the boulder where Morgan had fought and bled.

"When I was hit," the officer exclaimed, "I had just shot an Ind an behind that big rock across the gulch. Let's go over there."

"Over there" they went. Behind the big rock was a crevice and in that was wedged a bleached skeleton. The top of the skull was missing. The express rifle and steady eye had been true.

And that is where the ink stand came from.—New York Sun.

White Slaves of the Coal Regions

One of the most pitiful of all the sights to be seen in that abode of poverty and wretchedness, the Pennsylvania anthracite coal regions, is the army of children condemned by hard necessity to toil in the mines. At a time of life when other boys are playing and attending school these little fellows are doing work that taxes the strength and endurance of a full grown man to its utmost. A few months of schooling is all the most of them ever receive. Then they take up the white mans burden with a vengeance and stagger along under it for the rest of their stunted lives. Whatever may be thought of the merits of the particular fight now waging between the striking miners and the mine owners, no one will deny that industrial conditions that rob boys of the happiest years of their lives will bear a good deal amelioration.

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WILL PROTECT THE EMPRESS.

Our Government Has No Desire to Punish Her.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—From the mass of conflicting reports in circulation relative to China the Administration has deduced these facts, says the Washington correspondent of the Herald:

That the return of the Imperial government to Peking will not be feasible until all the interested powers give guarantees of protection to the Empress Dowager as well as to the Emperor.

That the Imperial government, which at this moment is the Empress Dowager, is still highly favorable to the Boxer movement, enough hope is expressed that the information of the degradation of Prince Tuan is correct, as in such event this government will be able to act to preserve Chinese territorial entirety. The State Department understands, however, that Sheng is authority for the news of Prince Tuan's appointment as Grand Secretary.

That all the powers, except the United States, propose to retain in Peking a considerable force, not so much to preserve order, as to watch over the interests of their respective governments, and that none of the powers, notwithstanding the withdrawal of American troops from China, contemplates taking steps in the same direction.

The Government has no disposition physically to punish the Empress Dowager, and when peace negotiations are inaugurated Minister Conger will be authorized to extend American protection to her, as he will do in the case of the Emperor. Li Hung Chang has not reached Peking, and Prince Ching will not begin negotiations until he has had an opportunity to discuss the situation with him.

It developed today that as a result of the doubt cast upon Li Hung Chang's credentials by the United States the Imperial government issued the recent edict granting to him and Prince Ching full authority to negotiate and agreeing in advance to accept any terms which they make. No information has been received at the State Department confirming the report that Great Britain will not accept Earl Li as a peace envoy unless he be provided with more definite credentials.

IMPEACHED PRINCE TUAN.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A dispatch to the Herald from Shanghai says:

It is learned from reliable Chinese sources that the friendly Southern Viceroys Liu Kuan Yi, Chang Chi Tung and Yuan Shikai have impeached Prince Tuan, General Kuang Yi and General Tung Fun Siang in a memorial to the throne. General Siang is still in command of the imperial troops.

VANDERBILT IS GRATEFUL.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A dispatch to the World from London says:

William K. Vanderbilt has given his check for half a million dollars to his daughter, the Duchess of Marlborough.

The gift is in the nature of a thank offering for the Duke of Marlborough's safe return from the war in South Africa.

The Duchess, accompanied by the Duke, is now in Paris investing the money in antique furniture and decorative articles for the house now building for her in Mayfair, one of the most fashionable districts of London.

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SPOT WHEAT—Shipping, $1 03½; milling, $1 05@1 07½.

BARLEY—Feed, 75c for bright, 75c for No. 1 and 72½c for off grades; brewing and shipping grades, 80@85c.

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CORN—No supplies offering.

RYE—Firm at 90@92½c per cental.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal.

FLOUR—California family extras, $3 00@3.75, usual terms; bakers' extras, $2.10@2.50, Oregon and Washington, $2.75@3.10 per barrel, $3.15@3.50 for bakers'; Eastern, $4.75@5.75 per barrel.

BRAN—$16@17 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$19@21 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $16@17.50 per ton; oilcake meal at the mill, $26@27; jobbing, $27.50@28; cocoanut cake, $20@21; cornmeal, $20@21; cracked corn, $27.00@28.50; mixed feed, $18.50@19.

HAY—Volunteer, $6@7.50; wheat, $10@12; wheat and oat, $10@12; oat, $8@10; alfalfa, $8@9.50; barley, $7@9 per ton.

STRAW—50@75c per bale.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.60@2.70; small white, $2.60@2.70; large white, $2@2.60; pinks, $2.40@2.50; red, $3@3.25; blackeye, $2@2.25; limas, 4½@5c per lb; red kidneys, $2.25@2.50.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, 2½@4c; yellow mustard, 4½@5c; flax, $2@2.50; canary, 3½c per lb for California and 4c for Eastern; alfalfa, nominal; rape, 2½@3c; hemp, 4½@5c; timothy, 6@7c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.25@1.75; green, $1.50@2.15; blackeye, $1.50.

POTATOES—New early rose, 35@40c; burbanks, 40@50c for rivers and 75c@$1.25 for

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T. M. Balliet, superintendent of the ls of Springfield, returned recently eight months spent in studying the ngs of the schools in Belgium, Ger and Austria.

Balliet is much impressed with the oughness in which the work of edu n is carried on abroad. He made ecial study of the trade schools and strial education

ere are twenty-eight trade schools in n, and 25,000 pupils attend them. The k is very effective, and mechanical ting is especially emphasized

e pupils are taught not only how to r, but how to work from drawings, they are taught by men who are ed in the practical part of the trade many is a country of small trades, much is still done by hand

here are all grades in the trade ols from the university grade down egular workmen.

he commercial schools were another eresting study. The e schools also e a university rank. It is in this line t Germany is doing most effective rk. In the higher grades they train n to represent business houses, to be ds of establishments and train grad ted from such a school is fitted to go o a foreign country and carry on suc cessfully negotiations for trade

t is in these schools that men are ined for consular appointments. They n then able to represent their country d exert an influence for the benefit the trade of their country

They are taught the modern languages cluding Spanish, Russian, and Italian, d become expert linguists.

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Lumbermen are cutting down the big ees of California. The Mariposa Grove protected, but a report from Wash the department of Agriculture says hat most of the other groves are in rocess or danger of being logged. The nest of all the Calaveras Grove, which as the biggest tree, came into possess on of a lumberman last April. Some f these trees are from 4000 to 5000 years ld; older than the Pyramids and most f the temples in Egypt. Congress can ave these groves by making national arks of them, and an effort will be made o have it done next winter. But it will have to be done quickly if it is to succeed. It comes near being sacrilege to put these venerable monsters through lumber mills. Every month nowadays some of them come down

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"The movement to beautify New York residential districts with shade and orna mental trees has already born fruit, which were particularly emphasized by the exercises of Arbor day in the vari ous public schools of Manhattan and the Bronx, and, though mud seant compari sons of the shadeless streets of the metropolis with the tree-embowered thoroughfares of Boston, Buffalo and other cities may still be made, the progress in recent years has been sufficient to cause some satisfaction. The Tree Planting Association has continually agitated the question of planting more trees, and through its efforts, and the instructions for transplanting the trees so they will live issued by it, many streets are today clothed with the soft green of the maple, tulip, and horse-chestnut. The association was incorporated in 1895 with ex-Mayor Strong as its first president, and hundreds of trees have been planted under its auspices since its organization. Altogether over a thousand trees have been planted in the city through the instrumentality of the association, and private property owners desiring to plant trees in front of their residences are furnished free with all the information and instruction necessary to make the work a success."

The movement is in line with the suggestion of Mrs. Emma Shaffer Howard, that a commission be appointed by the City Council, to encourage tree planting in our city, to point out the kinds of shade trees best suited to the environment, and methods for promoting their proper growth.

It is a step in the right direction, and the City Council ought to begin work along this line at once.

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Patriotic women, as represented by the Daughters of the American Revolution, are making a concerted movement to establish a club-house in Manila for American soldiers. The Philadelphia Chapter D. A. R. is credited with the inception of the movement, and has already raised $1800 merely as a beginning. The other chapters of the State have been asked to contribute, as about $15,000 will be needed. The house, as planned, is to contain a library, reading-rooms, gymnasium, assembly hall, baths and a cafe, in which only non-intoxicants are to be sold. While no especial prominence is given to the point, it is felt by the women interested in the movement that a rallying-place for the soldiers where they may be free from temptation would have a mitigating effect upon the canteen evil.

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The matter of luncheons for public-school children, which periodically comes to the fore in New York City, is to be once more considered by some of the public-minded women of the metropolis next autumn. It is proposed to provide a simple but nourishing luncheon, prepared with a careful regard to the science of foods, values for growing and studying children at a maximum price of ten cents. It is expected that the benefit will be two-fold: first, directly upon the children in a betterment of their physical condition, and indirectly as an object lesson to the parents at home, to whom teachers will undoubtedly be carried by the children themselves. The ladies interested in the work have already had conferences with prominent school officers and educational authorities of the city, and are hopeful of an efficient co-operation on their part in this work. Boston has tried the experiment and demonstrated its feasibility and value. If the luncheons can be provided, and through them the young scholars kept away from the pushcart, candy-vendor, with his cheap sweets and the corner bakery with its indigestible pastries, it is believed that an appreciable raising of the physical standard of the children will be observed. This is practical and valuable civic work.

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Harper's Bazar for this week presents the following suggestive paragraphs:

"The club-rooms opened a month ago by the New York Council of the National Association of Business Women have become the immediate success predicted. The suite of rooms on the fourteenth floor of the building at 105 [illegible] includes parlor and reception-rooms, retiring and dressing-rooms, [illegible] and kitchen. All are attractively furnished, and offer a restful welcome to the down-town business woman, who until now has had the cold comfort of a cheap and crowded restaurant as her only refuge during a noon recess. The membership list grows daily, and the first month closed with considerably over 200 members enrolled. The first four weeks the privileges of the restaurant and other rooms were extended to any woman, but at the expiration of that time the club enforced close communication rules, and only members are now admitted. Great care is taken in the increase of the membership list, a single proved objection barring a candidate. The initiation fee is $2, annual dues $3, the children's quarterly, semi-annually, or annual fees according to convenience, being given. The club fills a keenly felt want among its constituency, and is sure to continue to flourish, and is likely to be duplicated.

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Miss Gail Laughlin, who has been appointed by the Industrial Commission to investigate the domestic-service problem for the United States government, is a member of the New York bar and a woman of eminence in her profession. She will bring, therefore, a trained professional mind to the work she has undertaken, as well as special interest and knowledge of the subject secured from her membership of the Committee on Industrial Problems Affecting Women and Children of the National Woman's Suffrage Association. Miss Laughlin will take sufficient time for careful gathering of data, and will get all the information possible from authorities in this country who have included this topic in their studies in sociology. Meanwhile the cry comes up everywhere for household assistance. In villages and small towns there are practically no young women willing to enter domestic service, and in many instances growing girls not yet ready for heavy farm-work are kitchen-keepers. Miss Laughlin is by no means the first investigator of this serious problem, but so far no relief in the situation has followed research.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1900

DEEDS

Nov 6, 99—Cary and Fanny K Howard to Geo E Prat, Okd, all that pin Lot H blk D, Map S of dividing line bet Weston tract and Alton Park, being a resub of Weston tract, 50 cts; $10.

Dec 8, 99—Same to Same, Okd, Lot N and so much of Lot Y as lies S of line dividing the Weston tract from Alton Park tract, $150; $10.

Sept 27, 00—Henry and Rosa Mohr to Susan Foster, Okd, N Wallace av 50 ft W 105 W Grove st W 25 x N 140 being Lot 5 blk D on Map of Henry sub Witcher Brockhurst and Rowland tracts, $1; $10.

Sept 4, 00—Julia Neusbaumer to Henry A Pleiner, Bklyn Tp, Lot 10 blk D, Fruitvale Station tract, 50 cts; $10.

Sept 25, 00—Frances and Geo G Orr to Cosmopolitan M B & L Assn, Bklyn Tp, NE Saratoga av and Plymouth st, 50 N 100 W 50 S to beg, being Lots 1 and 2 blk 1, Amended Map Moses tract, $10.

Sept 25, 00—Wm and Agnes Quinn to Geo Jr, Anna, Jos N and Manuel S Enos, Eden Tp, 10 acres being the SW one-quarter Sec 29 Tp 2 S R 1 W.

Same to Same, Eden Tp, 20 acres being the E one-half of SE one-quarter and Lots 3 and 4 of Sec. 9 Tp 2 SR 1 W.

Same to Same, Eden Tp, 5.37 acres being the one-quarter sec cor bet Secs 29 and 30 Tp 2 SR 1 W th W 29.56 chs to post on E line Jo San Lorenzo th NE 3.08 chs S 24 chs to beg, being pt N one-half of Sec 30 Tp 2 SR 1 W, $5; $10.

Sept 17, 00—Thos H and Jos E Green, Elizth Green w of J E, Edward F Green by Jos E Green atty, Mary E and Ellen T Green w of Edwd F, Clara J Owens nee Green to Ella Green Donahue, Murray Tp, all lot 55.05 acres S line co hwy road Dublin to Livermore, th N 42.50 chs from its intersection with E line county road Dublin to Sunol, th NE 19.25 chs SE 3.75 chs SW 19.31 chs NW 29.21 chs to beg, $5, $10.

Sept 17, 00—Thos H, Jos E, Elizth Ellen T and Mary E Green, Clara J and John T Owens, Annie, W H, Ella R and F M Donahue to Edwd Green, Murray Tp, all lot 60.65 acres beg at a pt on S line county road Dublin to Livermore distant NE 10.1 chs from intersection of S line said county road with E line County road Dublin to Sunol, th NE 1.47 chs SE 29.4 chs SW 20.70 chs NW 17.85 chs NE 2.90 chs SE 3.00 chs NE 2 chs NE 3.26 chs NW 16.71 chs to beg, $5, $10.

Sept 17, 00—Thos H, Jos E, Elizth and Ellen T Green, Edwd F Green by atty, Clara J and John T Owens, Annie, W H, Rose and F M Donahue to Mary E Green, Murray Tp, all lot 59.91 acres, being part G, Ro Lois P Stites, Eden Tp, lots 1 and 2, Lawrence tract, Haywards, $5; $10.

Sept 17, 00—Jos E, Elizth, Edwd F by atty, Ellen T and Mary E Green, Clara J and John T Owens, Annie, W H, Ella R and F M Donahue to Rosa F M Donahue to Thos H Green, Murray Tp, all lot in SW cor County road Dublin to Livermore and County Rd Dublin to Sunol, SW 2.81 chs, SE 6.16 chs, NE 1.07 chs, NW 7.01 chs to beg, Murray Tp, 2.75 acres SE cor Co road Dublin to Livermore and County road Dublin to Sunol, th NE 11.71 chs SE 3.71 chs SW 3.20 chs, NW 1.43 chs SW 2 chs, NW 2.90 chs to the E line County road Dublin to Sunol, th NW 1.01 chs NW 11.32 chs to beg, $5, $10.

Sept 17, 00—Thos H, Jos E, Elizth, Edwd F by atty, Ellen T and Mary E Green, Clara J and John T Owens, Annie, Ella R and F M Donahue to W H Donahue, Murray Tp, all lot in 12.43 acres, beg at a pt on S line County road Dublin to Livermore, distant NE 48.11 chs from its intersection E line County road Dublin to Sunol, th NE 22.61 chs, SE 5.20 chs, SE 11.75 chs, SW 41.11 chs, NW 28.70 chs to beg, $5, $10.

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Sept 27, 00—Annie G and W H Donahue to Ellen Tehan, Murray Tp, 160 acres, being the W ½ of NE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec 14, Tp 3, SR 1 W, $1; $10.

Sept 17, 00—Thos H, Jos E, Elizth, Edwd F by atty, Ellen T and Mary E Green, John T Owens, W H, Annie, Ella R and F M Donahue to Clara G Owens, Murray Tp, all lot 27.11 acres less right of way, Murray Tp, 80 acres, being La Positas Murray Tp, 80 acres, being the N ½ of NE ¼, Sec 36, Tp 2 SR 2 E, undivided one-third int 18 acres bded by lds of Pratt and W E by Positas av, S by lds of Stallmann, Murray Tp, all lot in 9.91 acres, being part G, Ro Lois P Stites, Eden Tp, lots 1 and 2, Lawrence tract, Haywards, $5; $10.

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REALM OF TEARS AND LAUGHTER.

Fine Performances Outlined for Every Theatre for the Next Week.

Next week is the closing week of the Oakland Stock Company's engagement at the Macdonough Theatre. The company has been incorporated as the Holden Stock Company, and has contracted for a season at the Alta Theater, formerly the Grove Street of San Francisco.

There are to be three pieces presented next week. On Monday, Tuesday and Saturday matinee, "The Marble Heart," on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday nights, "The Octoroon" on Friday and Sunday nights "Jack O' Diamonds." "The Marble Heart," Monday's bill, is a beautiful play, and is considered one of the best the company have been seen in. It was repeated by special request of many who had seen it before, and by many who had not. The cast is as follows. "Ferdinand Volage," Clifford Dempsey; "Raphael Duchalette," I. J. Holden; "Mons. Veandre," Harry Rattenbury; "Fred de Courcy," Fred Manchester; "Madame'selle Marco," Miss Maud Miller, "Clementine," Miss Bertha Polta; "Madame Duchalette," Miss May Ewbanke, "Marie," Miss Ione Everette.

On Thursday evening the friends of E. J. Holden tender him a testimonial benefit. The cast of "The Octoroon" and "Jack o' Diamonds" will appear in Tuesday and Thursday night's Tribune respectively.

THE DEWEY

The Blue and the Gray," with its many spectacular attractions, is nightly delighting the large crowds that fill this popular playhouse. Last night, there was a full house. There is little fear that a play put on so carefully as the "Blue and the Gray" will fail to prove a success. The tableaux with which the piece concludes is admittedly the best of its kind that has ever been seen in this city.

Next week, the sensational drama, "In the Heart of the Storm," will be the attraction, and there is one scene in it that will be very appropos at this time. It represents a flood and portrays in a striking manner how thousands must have suffered in the recent disaster at Galveston. There are several very dramatic scenes in this play, and it requires the whole force of the Stevens company to produce it.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

At Morosco's Grand Opera House the Crawley company will give the last performance of "Blue Jeans" to-morrow night. For the week beginning Monday evening "The Sporting Duchess" will be given an elaborate production. This is high class sensational play dealing with incidents in the lives of swell turf followers in England and especially the racing career of the Earl of Desborough, who, to fortune, threatened by the machinations of one Major Mostyn and finally saved by the Duchess of Milford, known as "The Sporting Duchess." Among the scenic features which are many and varied the most striking scenes are two scenes showing the auction ring at Tattersall's, the famous English horse market, and a view of the race course at Epsom, where Doncaster, "Cup stone," wins the Derby. In this latter scene, which closes the play, real thoroughbred race horses are introduced together with an ensemble of jockeys, trainers, bookmakers and the sporting crowd in general. "The Sporting Duchess" was the most successful bill of the last San Francisco engagement of the Crawley Company, and its revival should prove popular. A notable change in the cast will be the appearance of Miss Vivian Burns in the title role instead of Vivian Darville, which was the part she formerly played. "In Paradise" is scheduled for the following week.

ALCAZAR

The next Alcazar attraction to follow "His Japanese Wife" will be "We Twa of Tennessee," an up-to-date war drama in four acts by Lee Arthur, with a plot laid in and around Tennessee. The story complicates the honor of two young men, "Jack Thomas" and "Jack Gray." Both young men are courting Lucie Courtney. "Jack" is to be elected captain of a company en route to Manila, and this fact, together with the knowledge that "Gray" loves "Lucile," soon gives "Thomas" the idea to his door the distardly crime of ruining "Matilda Monroe." Lucile later finds out the trouble of "Matilda" and asks her to point out to her her betrayer—she points to "Gray," who had just left. "Lucile" in mistake for "Thomas," "Gray" is at once denounced by "Lucile." "Thomas" then gets Matilda to tell her brother, who has the appointing of the captaincy that "Gray" was the guilty one. "Lieg," the brother, gets "Thomas" elected to captain in place of "Gray," and later, "Gray" as a private, is transferred to the same company. In the encampment at Chickamauga Matilda comes to see "Thomas" and "Lucile" comes to see her brother. "Lucile" drops her shawl and Matilda picks it up and enters the tent of the captain—her brother "Lieg," sees her, and thinking it is "Lucile" speaks lightly to her. This is resented by "Gray," and a duel is fought which ends in the mortal wounding of "Lieg," who dies in the third act in the hospital after making a confession which implicates "Thomas." The paper is turned over to the captain who tears off the implicated portion thus complicating matters still more deeply until the final disclosure of the guilty captain and readjustment of love affairs is made in the closing act.

The play throughout is one of the deepest and most interesting war plays of modern writing and will be most beautifully mounted and judiciously cast.

ALTA THEATER.

"In Sunny Tennessee" will be the next Alta offering and its company will have an opportunity of introducing to San Francisco play-goers a new play to the coast, and one which deals with a strong and fascinating subject. The piece is virtually a companion play to "The Suwanee River." It is from the pen of Marie Wellesley Sterling and written with plenty of Southern atmosphere and the impulsive character of the South is strongly drawn out. The play, in fact is rather a character play and calls on the many temperaments one meets during their every day walk in life. "In Sunny Tennessee" will be beautifully mounted and cast to the full strength of the Alta company.

COLUMBIA.

At the Columbia next week, beginning tomorrow night, Eddie Foy will begin an engagement in "Night in Town."

THE ORPHEUM.

At the Orpheum next week the following will be the attraction. Jessie Bartlett Davis, Johnson one Brothers DeCabe and Daniels, Ozav and Delmo, Young America Quintet, Ouerta Vincent, Johnson and Dean, Mansfield and Wilbur, American Biograph.

STAGE TOPICS.

Mr. Sothern has made his essay in Hamlet, and evidently to some purpose. At least, he has been treated respectively, which has not been the fortune of a dozen many Hamlets, and this has encouraged his manager, Daniel Frohman, to the extent of announcing that this young player will take up Shakespearian revivals in earnest and that the next production will be "Much Ado About Nothing." Mr. Sothern's own views of his Hamlet undertaking are somewhat interesting and modest. He is not sanguine over the verdict on the first performance in New York, but remarks that in interview that if he finds that he can reach the public in the part he will "take up this or that drama in turn." "It will greatly simplify my parts," he is quoted as saying. "I will be rid of the anxiety incident to the production of new plays, the wondering and the worry as to whether they will or will not please the public. It has always been my wish to appear in Shakespearean roles."

Mr. Sothern owned that the conflicts among the commentators were bewildering. At last he threw them away and confined himself to the text. He formed his own conception of Hamlet's character. He read a few score editions from any other actor for his has seen only a very few. Irving on his first appearance in London, and the younger Booth composes the entire list. He never saw Booth to whom he has been compared by the New York critics. Mr. Sothern confesses that Hamlet was entirely sane. Only in his conversations with Polonius and with Guildenstern and Rosencrantz does he put on an antic disposition, entirely content to fool them. His scene with Ophelia does not even the slightest evidence of madness. It is the natural result of the state of the mind in which the Ghost's revelations have left him. Horror at the discovery of his uncle's guilt and his mother's shame have put him at war with the world and himself. He would die from Ophelia at her first approach but his great love pleads against him. Distrustful of everybody, she gives him reason to distrust her. He pours out his tumultuous feelings in a paroxysm of pain and bitterness, yet soft and, too, of his love.

If this be insanity, so did Mr. Sothern, it is that sort which the law recognizes as emotional insanity, and which may seize the sanest man at an overwhelming crisis.

The most startling of Mr. Sothern's innovations is in the third act. In the third scene Mr. Sothern omits the passage in which Hamlet, catching his uncle at prayer, decides not to slay him then, because they may send him to heaven and not to hell. He thinks that this shows Hamlet in too savage and cruel a light. He is not sure that the passage may not have been an interpolation. In the seventh scene Sothern's Hamlet snatches up a sword at some "If he is not there, go find him in the other place yonder." He makes an attempt on the King's life. Mr. Sothern holds that this innovation, in which he implies a hint from Wilson Barrett, may be no innovation at all, because the subsequent insertion of the King to Laertes that Hamlet "hurled his life back to justification."

"The audience indeed knows that Hamlet has pursued the King's life. But omitting this incident the King has no knowledge of it from anyone, and this occurs upon the stage."

Mr. Sothern acknowledges that there is some truth in the criticism which described his method as conversational. He had sought to get away from the every-night all-methods of the elocutionist. "There is a bad mannerism," he said pointedly, "they elocutionist. He has done more harm to the stage than anyone. I have sought to abandon the histrionic pose and introduce simpler and more natural methods. For, indeed, what is there simpler, more natural than Shakespeare's world? Take the speech to the players, for instance. Why, the world is full of prosy scrops trapping from the tongue. Moreover, in the very speech Shakespeare records his own views that naturalness and simplicity should rule the stage."

ELSIE DE WOLF

Elsie De Wolf, one of the coming stars of the season, who seems to have been overlooked in the multitude, came back from Europe last week and has been interviewed. Although her first of the play Mr. Frohman is to present her in scenes somewhat vague. "I can only say," she said, "that I am to play a part entirely different from any that I have attempted. And yet he has played the Jewess and Lady Teazle and a few others—'good ladies' bad ladies, and medium kind of ladies' she describes them. But Miss De Wolfe returned with impressions about other people, if she has little to say for herself. "Of course," she said, "I saw L'Aiglon. Do I think the part will suit Miss Adams? Well I had a talk with her about it in Paris and her idea of the Prince differs very much from that of Bernhardt. Miss Adams's idea of Prince Wendling, which he was, a man without force. He is a dreamer. In his performance I think we will get the poetic side. And she is correct in her views. Here will be the historical character. With Bernhardt you get the greatest of power that did not belong to the man. It pervades everything she does—voice, bearing, and action.

"Now, don't misunderstand me," continued Miss De Wolf, "I do not mean to intimate that Mme. Bernhardt does not give a great performance. It is true. Here it is remarkable for a woman of—Here it is spoiled with suggestive gesture—'Well Sardou and her friends say so.' That's near enough. The French people are making all manner of remarks about Sarah's appearance in trousers. They won't do to print.

"I saw the English success. Among them Carton's new play, which I think is to be done here. The season in London has been very poor. That fact is accounted for by the war in the Transvaal. About half the people one meets are in mourning."

WAGNERIAN PROFITS

While Richard Wagner never had as much money as he needed to live comfortably and bring out his music dramas as he wanted them, his heirs are rolling in wealth. From Munich come—one of Germany's seventy opera houses—their annual income is. For Munich has on its repertory seven of Wagner's operas which have brought in at the box office up to date, $1,475,000, of which Wagner and his heirs—chiefly his heirs—received $117,000. The most profitable opera has been "Tannhauser," the 250 performances of which yielded $290,550.

(Official)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, September 24, 1900.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock a. m.

Roll was called and all members were found present.

READING OF THE MINUTES.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS

The following named persons made application for relief.

Mrs. E. C. Veeden for Fred Egner, 862 20th street.

Referred to the Hospital Committee.

Jacob Schwartz, Pleasanton.

Referred to Supervisor Wells.

AFFIDAVITS OF PUBLICATION

Affidavits of publication were received as follows:

From Niles Herald of Notice to Contractors in the matter of grading and macadamizing county road No. 2,07, Alvarado road district from county road No. 633 northerly a distance of 7,014 feet to county road No. 511.

From Oakland Tribune of Notice to Contractors in the matter of grading and macadamizing county road No. 2,07 as above.

Same were ordered placed on file.

LIQUOR LICENSE.

The following named persons made application for permits to obtain license for the sale of liquor:

Joe Kohler, Mt. Eden; J. C. Lavin, San Lorenzo Junction; B. Walther, Hopkins street, cor. Fruitvale avenue.

The bonds accompanying same being correct in form and for the required amounts, same were, on motion of Supervisor Wells, seconded by Supervisor Church, ordered approved and placed on file by the following vote.

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

T. O. Crawford, County Superintendent of Schools, requested the Board for a leave of absence from the State for sixty days from September 25th.

Supervisor Church moved that request be granted.

Seconded by Supervisor Roeth and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

GRADING AND MACADAMIZING COUNTY ROAD NO. 2,07 IN ALVARADO ROAD DISTRICT FROM COUNTY ROAD NO. 633 NORTHERLY A DISTANCE OF 7014 FEET TO COUNTY ROAD NO. 511.

The time for the opening of bids having arrived the following bid was presented.

L. B. Stone, $2,200.00.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells.

Supervisor Talcott moved that same be referred to County Expert to prepare resolution.

So ordered.

(Thereupon see above.)

"Whereas, This Board on the 4th day of September ordered the Clerk to advertise for proposals for grading and macadamizing county road No. 2,07 in Alvarado Road District from county road No. 633 northerly a distance of 7014 feet to county road No. 511.

"Whereas, This day bids were presented for said work, and

"Whereas, L. B. Stone's bid for $2,250 is the lowest and most satisfactory proposal.

"Now, therefore be it resolved that the contract for macadamizing road No. 2,07, Alvarado Road District as above described be and the same is hereby awarded to L. B. Stone.

"Be it further resolved that a surety bond in the sum of $200 be required from said L. B. Stone for the performance of said work, and that the District Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the proper contract and that the Chairman of this Board be and he is hereby authorized to sign said contract for and in behalf of the County of Alameda upon the presentation and approval of the bond provided by the said L. B. Stone for the performance of said contract, said work to be completed within sixty days from date of approval of bond."

Supervisor Wells moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Supervisor Roeth and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of Joe Nunes, Newark, and Charles Freeman, of Four Mile House on San Leandro road.

Thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced by Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Roeth and carried by the following vote, granting to said parties permits to obtain license for the sale of liquor:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

CONTRACT OF CHARLES WEHNER TO CONSTRUCT CONCRETE CULVERT AT A POINT WHERE ADAMS CREEK CROSSES HIGH STREET IN FRUITVALE ROAD DISTRICT, BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP.

The contract and bond in the above matter were received. Supervisor Mitchell moved that the Chairman be authorized to sign said contract.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

Same was ordered filed and checks ordered returned.

EXTRA NURSE FOR COUNTY INFIRMARY.

Dr. Clark stated that the hospital had three or four cases of typhoid fever, that the regular nurses were overworked and it was necessary to have a nurse.

Supervisor Church moved that Dr. Clark be authorized to employ one nurse for one month.

Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ASSESSMENT OF H. B. PENDLETON.

H. C. Pendleton appeared before the Board in reference to the failure of the Clerk to enter upon the assessment roll reductions ordered by the Board of Equalization last July. After statement by Mr. Pendleton the Clerk stated that the records, to-wit application and final orders of the Board were not such as would enable the Clerk to properly make the reduction and that after a consultation with the County Auditor and County Assessor, it was found to be impossible to make reductions of assessment. The matter was referred to the District Attorney.

CONSIDERATION OF ETHEN APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

After a supplemental application had been filed therein on the application of Joe Ethen for permit to obtain license for the sale of liquor came up at 11 o'clock. H. B. Mowbray, Joe Ethen and J. H. Riley were sworn and gave testimony.

Supervisor Roeth moved that the matter be continued until such time as survey was presented, showing who are the persons qualified to recommend.

Seconded by Supervisor Church and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

CLAIMS OF WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRICAL AND MANUFACTURING CO. AND AMERICAN STEEL AND WIRE COMPANY.

Claims of the above companies were presented by Supervisor Roeth, who called attention to the fact that they were incomplete. He said that he would attend to their proper preparation for payment.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Report of W. A. Clark, Superintendent of County Infirmary for July and August was received. Same was ordered filed.

COUNTY INFIRMARY ROAD.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Church:

"Resolved, That the County Surveyor be instructed to prepare plans and specifications as to grade, drain and macadamize the private road leading from the northerly terminus of county road No. 948 to the County Infirmary, and that the Hospital Committee be authorized to have said work done as per said plans and specifications immediately."

Supervisor Church moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

Plans and specifications and estimate showing cost to be $800 were then presented. Supervisor Church moved to adopt plans and specifications.

Seconded by Supervisor Roeth and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ELECTION SUPPLIES.

This matter was brought up for consideration in the Committee of the Whole, after which in open Board, Supervisor Roeth moved that it be referred to a committee composed of Supervisors Church and Talcott, with power.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

COUNTY ROAD NO. 1834.

A petition signed by A. C. Brandenuhl et al., came up for consideration, same being for improvement of county road No. 1834. After discussion by Sidney M. Van Wyck Esq., the matter was postponed for further consideration.

OPINION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY ON BILLS OF COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The District Attorney rendered his opinion that if the claims were correct they should be paid.

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS.

The Clerk read the following bills:

County General Fund—Argus Publishing Co., $10.25; Bank of Alameda, assignee of Decimal Publishing Co., $150; Bank of Haywards, assignee of Frank Dennis, $116.10, same assignee of H. Kono, $4; Bank of Livermore, assignee of Daniel Inman, $12, same, assignee of W. E. Still, $5, $10, same, assignee of J. H. Taylor, $21; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Aug. Y. Bernal, $3, same, assignee of Manuel Borges, $5, same, assignee of Patrick Croak, $2, same, assignee of Lucas Duey, $101.50, same, assignee of Charles Powell, $4, same, assignee of Peter Asmussen, $15.50, Bank of San Leandro, assignee of M. D. Nichols, $30; E. Barnett, assignee of G. E. Reynolds, $20; Manuel Bernardo, $5; I. Bernstein, $67.20; J. Brasco, $5; Albert Brown, $25; Chadbourne Warehouse Co., assignee of Chas. Bray, $41, Colby Collins, $21; Contra Costa Water Co., $12.8, $11.10, $4.35, $29.16, $30; H. Chrisner, $4.52, $4.12; S. Dinsmore, $20.40; H. Dusterberry Jr., $17, $27; Archibald Edgar, $2.50; Robert Edgar, $20; A. F. Lagers, $13.50; First National Bank, assignee of P. C. Frederickson, $34.50, same, assignee of Harold Gates, $47.45, $101.50; F. B. Granger, $5.20; A. K. Gram, $61.60; P. A. Heatwole, assignee of J. W. Peck, $34.40; Hawes & Dusterberry, $22.75; Antone Hourque, $.8; Henshaw, Buckley & Co., $4.10; Otis Hill, $2.60, $10.80; O. N. Hirsch & Co., assignee of George Bond, $21.50, $12.10; Horton & Kennedy, assignee of G. B. Kennedy, $50.75; F. M. Husted, $5; Ingersoll & Atkinson Milling Co., $7.25, $3.60; Carlos Baker, Jump, $15; James King, $2.25; Livermore Water & Power Co., $220.45; Miss Luders, $16.60; J. H. Lanktree, trustee, assignee of J. B. Barnard $18.60; same, assignee of A. W. Beach, $13; same, assignee of C. L. Beach, $74; same, assignee of V. H. Bernal, $6; same, assignee of C. H. Carter, $4.30; same, assignee of J. F. Chadbourne, $105; same, assignee of H. A. Cramer, $18.65; same, assignee of N. W. Dennis, $16, $20, $24; same, assignee of John Gallegos Jr., $8.25; same, assignee of Juan Gallegos, $64.22; same, assignee of J. T. Gratz, $35; same, assignee of H. V. Herbert, $1.5, $7.50; same, assignee of George Ingraham, $2.30; same, assignee of Jordan Printing Co., $16.16, $31.75; same, assignee of Philip Kiernan, $19.81; same, assignee of S. M. Lamborn, $18.25; same, assignee of Wm. Langsuff, $15; same, assignee of J. B. Lanktree, $41.5, $22.27; same, assignee of James Larue, $216; same assignee of M. D. McGuneas, $11.50; same, assignee of J. M. Nash, $15.70; same assignee of F. Newell, $49, $50, $10, $10; same, assignee of L. M. Osborne, $10; same, assignee of E. A. Richmond, $8.50; same assignee of Frank H. Robinson, $12.40, $9; same, assignee of Leo Roderick, $3.05, $11.10; same, assignee of John Rodgers, $60; same, assignee of J. Sandholdt, $42; same, assignee of J. W. Stanford, $27.95; same assignee of Henry Stein, $39.50; same, assignee of Theo. Steinmetz, $20.25; same assignee of J. R. Taylor, $2.15; same, assignee of W. M. Tipton, $2.50; same, assignee of C. L. Tisdale, $5; same, assignee of Chris Thorpe, $16.75; same, assignee of J. O. Trefrey, $6; R. A. Leet, $7; Livermore Water & Power Co., $115.95; J. F. Lidley, M. D., $15; Richard Lloyd, $20.65; A. Lucio, $108; J. C. Matthews Jr., assignee of John Levodo, $30; same, assignee of A. Raposa, $13; H. B. Mehrmann, M. D., $4.55; Christopher Miller, $5.75; Mrs. R. Mills, assignee of G. B. Hoagland, M. D., $15; M. J. McGuinness, $52.50, $119, $85; Henry McKerrow, $5.75; Timothy Nolan, $18.75; Oakland Gas, Light & Heat Co., $40, $71.40; Oakland Society Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, $5; Patrick O'Brien, $28.50; O. P. Partridge, $21.50; A. D. Pryal, $16, $64; E. Putnam $50; Raders Express Co., $18; J. Redding, $20; R. E. Revalk, $20; J. H. W. Riley, $13.20; Oscar L. Rogers, $10; C. M. Rosenberg, assignee of H. V. Herbert, $10.75; same, assignee of Chas. J. Wilkinson, $17.50; C. W. Shoemaker, $116; Phil Sieben, $13; Geo. Smith & Co., $19; E. B. Stone $9, $56; W. H. Storey, assignee of H. T. Morris, $114; Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., $17.85, $11.75, $5, $7.85, $12.10, $3.05, $11.05, $7.85, $7, $4.35, $17.9; Harry L. Swale, $2.50; James Taylor, $54; L. T. Boone, $29.21; Union National Bank, assignee of A. R. Serpa, $36, $7.50; John Whelan, $21.75; J. C. Whipple, $29.75; B. N. Wood, $183.75; Al. Wood & Bro., $27.70; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Claus Meyer, $10; E. M. Derby & Co., $12.75; F. B. Granger, $20.5; P. C. Hansen, $27.81; Robert Irvine, $215; E. B. Stone, $21.75, $229.50; E. B. & A. L. Stone Supply Co., $37.31; Joseph Vincent $48; George R. Warren, assignee of E. D. Lane, $3.

Salary Fund—T. O. Crawford $50; C. L. Ingler, $10.40, $10.40; J. B. Lanktree trustee, assignee of P. M. Fisher, $11.45; same, assignee of H. C. Perry, $2.40.

General Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Claus Meyer, $1; E. M. Derby & Co., $1; F. B. Granger, $1; P. C. Hansen, $1; Robert Irvine, $1; E. B. Stone, $1, $1, $1; E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., $1; Joseph Vincent, $1; George R. Warren, assignee of E. D. Lane, $1.

Alvarado District Road Fund—F. B. Granger, $1.

Brooklyn District Road Fund—E. B. Stone, $1.

Castro Valley District Road Fund—E. B. Stone, $1.

Fruitvale District Road Fund—E. M. Derby & Co., $1; Jos. Vincent, $1; Geo. B. Warren, $1.

Palomares District Road Fund—E. B. & A. L. Stone & Co., $1.

Pleasanton District Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Claus Meyer, $1.

Washington District Road—P. C. Hansen, $1; Robert Irvire, $1.

Supervisor Church moved that the bills be ordered paid as read.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells and carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Church and Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact the Board adjourned to meet October 1, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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